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SUBMARINE WAR RESUMED; 3 SHIPS GERMANS' VICTIMS

One of Vessels Torpedoed is American Tanker Gulflight.

ALLIES GAINING ON TURKS

Meanwhile London is Uneasy Over the Invasion of Northern Russia by Teutons, Who Threaten Muscovites' Line of Communication; West Quiet.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, May 3—The week-end has been marked by relatively mild activity in the North Sea and the resumption of the submarine blockade by German craft, which have destroyed or damaged three vessels off the Scilly Islands, one of the victims being the American oil tank steamer Gulflight.

No further official announcement has been made concerning fighting in the Dardanelles but unofficial dispatches agree that the allies are making progress toward the narrows under cover of the fire of their naval guns which are inflicting great damage on the Turkish defenses in closing the reported total destruction of the town of Dardanelles.

A late Turkish official announcement claims a victory near Gaba Tepeh, in the Gallipoli peninsula, which is said to have resulted in the retreat of the colonial British troops to the shelter of their warships. This account however, does not agree with the British official report published Saturday, which declares that the British were resuming the offensive after stubborn resistance on the part of the Turks.

It is generally conceded that the advance of German troops in the direction of Riga, coupled with a raid but a few miles from Libau, is causing in London that these invaders are in force sufficiently strong seriously to threaten Russian communications. Other sections on the eastern front report only minor engagements, while the western battle lines evidently are taking a breathing spell after the strenuous efforts of the last fortnight.

AUSTRIANS CLAIM RUSSIAN LINE HAS BEEN BROKEN

BERLIN, via London, May 3—An important Austrian victory in the eastern campaign is announced in the communication issued today from the eastern army headquarters. The statement is made that the Austrians have pierced and broken the entire Russian front in West Galicia.

The statement follows: "In the presence of the Austrian commander-in-chief Field Marshal Archduke Frederick and under the leadership of General Colonel von Mackensen the allied troops yesterday after bitter fighting pierced everywhere and crushed the entire Russian front in West Galicia from the neighborhood of the Hungarian frontier to the junction of the Dunajec river with the Vistula. Such of the enemy succeeding in escaping are in hasty retreat toward the east, closely pursued by the allied troops. The trophies of the victory cannot yet even be approximately estimated.

"A German airship squadron attacked the airship hangar and railway station at Ebinal yesterday, apparently with good results. A French flyer machine landed yesterday at Handhagen to the west of Sarrebourg in Lorraine. Both occupants were taken prisoners."

PETROGRAD, via London, May 3—The spectacular advance of German forces along a hundred-mile front extending from the Baltic Sea near Libau in a southeasterly direction to the northern tributaries of the river Niemen continues unchecked. It has not yet disturbed Russian activity in the region south of the Niemen where, according to information received here consistent successes are being won by the troops of Emperor Nicholas.

Russian observers characterize the German advance north of the Niemen as a "coup d'epee affair" designed to induce the Russians to transfer hurriedly troops to that region.

WILL AWAIT REPORT ON GULFLIGHT SINKING

WASHINGTON, May 3—President Wilson will reserve judgment on the torpedoing of the American steamer Gulflight until full official details are received. He inquired about the incident when he arrived from Williamstown Mass. today but was told that so far as White House officials know no official word has come in.

On the face of the news dispatches officials admit that the attack on the ship is a serious matter but they intend that a thorough investigation shall be made and that no hasty action should be taken.

PITTSBURG, May 3—It is not the purpose of the Gulf Refining Company whose steamship the Gulflight, was torpedoed off the Scilly Islands by a German submarine to press any claim through the United States government at this time, according to George S. Davidson president of the company.

"I will be in Washington tomorrow and will call upon the State Department," said Mr. Davidson. "Our property was covered by insurance in no way connected with the government marine insurance. That, of course, will be paid and the only ques-

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HUCKSTERS ARE ARRESTED FOR GIVING SHORT WEIGHT

Four of the Nine Victims are Residents of the City; County Sealers Act.

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, May 3—Nine informations charging dealers with violating the law which requires that certain commodities be sold by weight, have been made before Justice of the Peace I. C. Reisinger, and four of the nine are hucksters living in Connellsville. The informations were made by County Sealers of Weights and Measures W. J. Callaghan and J. D. Bennett.

B. Kraitick of Queen street and J. Shine of Murphy avenue, Connellsville, are accused of selling a peck of apples to Mrs. C. A. Kennedy of Leisenring which weighed 3 pounds and 9 ounces short.

H. Melnick of Watt street, Connellsville, is accused of selling Mrs. E. H. Hann of Leisenring No. 3 a peck of apples which fell half a pound short.

Charles Krovitz of Queen street, Connellsville, is alleged to have sold Thomas Danko of Leisenring a half-peck of apples which fell half a pound below the requirements of the law.

MEN FILE PROTEST

Engineers and Firemen Still Telling How Small Wage Raise Is.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, May 3—The brotherhoods of locomotive engineers and firemen after analyzing the arbitration award for three days today issued a statement in support of their contention that the wage advances granted were very small. The increases aggregate according to these figures $820,498 a year. The figures are for wages alone and do not include the value of compensatory rules of overtime allowances granted.

The railroads contended throughout the case that to grant every demand made by the men would cost the 93 western railroads involved $40,000,000 a year. The men claim the cost would not run over $10,000,000 a year.

The award is said to affect engineers on only 7,776 locomotives out of 23,812 in service. The advances to the engineers total $311,111.16, according to the brotherhood. Firemen on 7,005 out of 23,661 in service receive a total increase of $509,386.70, it is calculated by the brotherhood.

REFUSED TO AID MURPHY

Witness Declares Barnes Spurned Tammany's Plea for Aid.

By Associated Press.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 3—That William Barnes told him Charles Murphy of Tammany Hall had asked for help in 1911 to defeat a direct primaries bill in the State Legislature and that the then chairman of the Republican state committee had answered he would refuse the aid asked and had remarked he would not pull the Tammany leader's "chestnuts from the fire," was the sworn testimony given in the supreme court here today by Walter T. Arndt, formerly Albany correspondent of a New York newspaper.

Mr. Arndt was one of several witnesses who were placed upon the stand by the defense. One of them was Edward Platt, son of the late Thomas C. Platt, former United States Senator and described in previous testimony as "the boss."

HEARS RAILROAD PROTEST

Judge Sits in Action to Prevent Enforcement of 2-Cent Law.

By Associated Press.

CHARLESTON, May 3—Sitting in an office of the Public Service Commission by agreement of counsel Judge Littlepage of the circuit court today heard arguments on the petition of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad against the commission for an injunction to prevent the commission from enforcing the penalties provided in the law of 1907 for violation of the 2-cent passenger rate.

Counsel for the railroad contended that the commission had no jurisdiction over passenger rates because the 2-cent law was passed before it came into existence and that jurisdiction rests with the circuit court.

The commission argued that it was created for the purpose of fixing the rates for all public utilities.

CARMAN TRIAL BEGINS.

Woman Answers Murder Charge for Second Time.

By Associated Press.

MINEOLA, N. Y., May 3—Mrs. Florence Conklin Carman was placed on trial in the Supreme Court here today before Justice Blackmar for the second time on the indictment charging her with the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey at Freeport, on the night of June 10, last.

The jury in the first trial disagreed and Mrs. Carman has been at liberty under bond since then. Selection of the jury proceeding slowly and out of the first nine men examined only one was given a place in the box.

Boy is Run Down.

Robert Woods, the little son of Dr. and Mrs. J. Y. Woods, was run down by a transfer wagon near his home on Fairview avenue Saturday afternoon while riding across the street on a tricycle. He escaped with a few scratches, his tricycle saving him from other injury.

Former Congress Leader Dies.

NEW YORK, May 3—Former Congressman Charles E. Littlefield died yesterday at his home here. Before he quit public life to take up private practise he was one of the leading congressmen in the country, representing the second district of Maine.

CONSTABLE ROLAND FINDS ABANDONED AUTO IN OLD BARN

Believe Car is One in Which Auto Bandit Hohl Made Escape.

LEFT THERE LAST NOVEMBER

Farmer on Road Between Dunbar and Uniontown Says He Helped Two Men Put the Car Away; Negro's Attempt to Sell Tools Gives the Clue.

An automobile believed to be the one in which Frank Hohl, the bandit who robbed the Homestead bank last November, made a dash for liberty through this section, was found by Constable William Roland on Saturday afternoon in an abandoned barn near Mount Braddock, on the road to Uniontown. The car is a seven-passenger Elmore, bearing a 1914 license tag No. 66 178.

Constable Roland immediately wired the State Highway Department to determine from the records at Harrisburg the owner of the car. He has as yet received no answer.

According to a farmer living near by, the car was left there last Thanksgiving Day by two men, one of whom was short with several gold teeth, who drove the car, and the other a tall, well dressed man, with red hair and a goatee. They appeared to be in a hurry, the farmer declares and told they would be back for the car the next day. The farmer helped them convey the car to the abandoned barn. The strangers then took the clock out of the car, ran the water out of the radiator to prevent it from freezing up and left, going in the direction of Uniontown.

Constable Roland found the car through a negro who tried to sell him a kit of automobile repair tools which he said he had found along the road. On making an investigation he found the car in the old barn some distance away from any house.

That the car may be the one in which the bandit made his dash through the country from Dunbar to Uniontown is believed by many. It is known that Hohl was in this region in a car, but both he and the machine mysteriously disappeared.

The machine was removed to the garage of Constable Roland at Trotter, where he will keep it until the owner is located.

IN ORPHANS' COURT

Arguments Heard in Dispute Over Bequest of $500.

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, May 3—Before Judge T. C. Work in orphans' court today the argument in the action of William Shipley Hoff to recover $500 from Harry A. Shipley, executor of the estate of Elizabeth Shipley, deceased was heard. A bequest of $500 was made to Hoff in the will and the court made an order some time ago directing the executor to pay the bequest. The executor alleges that there is insufficient personal estate to pay the amount. Harry A. Shipley, the executor, also is the residuary legatee.

Joseph A. Mason and Samuel A. Coughenour were appointed appraisers in the estate of Lewis Bishop, who died in Connellsville, December 24, 1913. The appraisers were appointed on petition of Mrs. Nora Bishop, the widow, who set forth that all the property left is a lot in Connellsville valued at $300 which she elects to take as the widow's exemption.

FACE GAS FAMINE

Ten Arkansas Towns May Lose Supply Because of Flood.

By Associated Press.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 3—With one pipe line across the Red river already broken virtually cutting off this city's gas supply, and the other threatened officials of the Arkansas Natural Gas Company feared flood conditions would result in a gas famine in 10 Arkansas cities for perhaps three weeks. Should the remaining mains break, the following towns would be without gas: Hot Springs, Pine Bluff, Benton, Malvern, Guernon, Hope, Prescott, Arkadelphia and Sheridan.

No repairs can be made to the pipe lines it is said until the Red river recedes to normal, which it is believed will not be for three weeks. The gas is supplied from the Caddo field in Louisiana.

SUES FOR INSURANCE.

Scottdale Widow Seeks to Recover $500 on Husband's Policy.

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, May 3—Mrs. Carrie C. Schrabshuhn of Scottdale, through her counsel, Attorneys S. R. Goldsmith, filed suit today against the Prudential Insurance Company of America to recover $500 she alleges is due her on a policy issued to her late husband, Henry S. Schrabshuhn.

Mr. Schrabshuhn died in Connellsville February 20, 1915. His insurance policy was issued to him by the Prudential company on October 22, 1914.

Pigeons are Released.

The pigeons received here Saturday morning from the Washington Racing Pigeon Club were released yesterday morning at the upper end of the Baltimore & Ohio station by E. F. Dougherty. Charles H. Baisley filmed them.

FIVE SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE MEN CHARGED WITH ROBBERIES

Baltimore & Ohio Police's Investigation Leads to the Capture of Gang Suspected of Thefts.

As a result of an investigation that has been going on here for some time the Baltimore & Ohio police today arrested five South Connellsville men, charged with breaking into a box car on Saturday night and stealing merchandise worth about $200. The crime gang is believed to be responsible for many other robberies not only of Baltimore & Ohio cars but of residences at South Connellsville.

After a hearing before Squire T. C. Phillin at South Connellsville this afternoon W. E. Cook, a Baltimore & Ohio brakeman, John Pierce and Henry Carson were held under $500 bail for court and John Jeans and Lloyd Fowler under $1,000 bail each. All of the men but Pierce pleaded guilty.

The arrests were brought about after W. S. Hoover, superintendent of police for the railroad, had made a personal investigation. Men had been stationed at South Connellsville night after night for a long time and on Saturday night the waiting officers saw the men break into a car, take a quantity of goods and then watched them take it to their homes. This morning the homes were searched and about $200 worth of goods was recovered. All of the defendants are well known, some of them married men with families. They were brought in to the city hall and locked up shortly after 2 o'clock.

Officers who made the arrests in addition to Superintendent Hoover, were Captain Ludwig and Patrolmen Wilhere and Gjertsen of the Connellsville division, Lieutenants Rieman and Chapman, Patrolmen Cooper, Weber and Milburn.

VENIREMEN ARE SELECTED

Those Who Will Serve on the June Grand Jury.

Twenty-four grand jurymen and 180 veniremen for petit jury duty at the June term of quarter sessions court were drawn Saturday by the jury commissioners. The grand jury is to meet on June 7 and at the same time there are summoned 80 veniremen for service on the petit jury. The second week of the June court is to begin on June 14 when 80 veniremen have been summoned to appear.

Perhaps the most interest in the June term of court is centered on the trial of Alfonse Zamarelli, of Republic, who is to be tried for the murder of Tony Lockhart at Republic, last October. It is said that the murder grew out of trouble between Zamarelli and Mary Lockhart, the 16-year old daughter of Tony Lockhart. Zamarelli was convicted of a serious crime on the little girl at the March term of court.

The grand jury selected for the term follows:

Joseph Darley, Luzerne township; Herbert Boyd, South Union, Newton Burnworth, Stewart township, John Buhinger, Georges township, Clarence Hall, Dunbar township, Otis W. Chalfant, Perry township; Benjamin Conn, Springhill township, Clarence Cook, Connellsville, Herman Devers, Jefferson township, J. E. Dillinger, Uniontown; Harry Gordon, Bellevernon; Albert Gray, Vanderbilt; John Golden, North Union township, Harry W. Hawk, South Connellsville, John Kerr, Fayette City, Thomas Mansell, Menallen township, Jud Miller, Fayette City; Charles Neff, Franklin township, P. W. Neuroth, Connellsville, Fred Ruble, Springhill township, Frank Reed, Vanderbilt, Stanley Smith, Georges township, Joseph Stillwagon, German township; John L. Wilson, North Union township.

TREATED FOR INJURY.

J. F. Wilson Enters the Cottage State Hospital.

J. F. Wilson, employed by the West Penn Railways Company was admitted to the Cottage State Hospital for treatment of a badly infected hand, resulting from an injury suffered while at work.

David Colborn of Mill Run, who underwent an operation, was discharged this morning.

INVESTIGATING THEFT.

Wire in Foreigner's Possession May Have Been Stolen at Lemont.

The copper wire which was found in the possession of John Legar, a foreigner, when arrested by Constable P. Rottler on Friday, is believed to have been stolen from a diamond at Lemont.

Legar is being held, pending an investigation of the case by officers.

School Board to Meet.

School board will meet tonight in regular session for May. A busy session is promised. It is possible that teachers may be elected, a new director elected to succeed C. H. Baisley resigned, and the law requires that the tax levy must be fixed.

Weather Forecast

Unsettled tonight and Tuesday probably showers, is the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

The Temperature.

	1915	1914
Maximum	75	64
Minimum	55	37
Mean	63	51

Sun rises at 5.01 A. M., sets at 6.53 P. M.

The Yough river dropped from 2.70 to 2.60 feet during the night.

ELKS WILL SPEND $7,000 TO IMPROVE THEIR HOME HERE

Local Lodge Decides to Remodel Interior and Build 100 Foot Addition.

WORK TO BEGIN IN SHORT TIME

Addition Extending to Orchard Alley Will House Three Modern Bowling Alleys; Other Changes Mean Repainting, Repapering, New Lighting.

Abandoning for a number of years, at least plans for erecting a new home, the Connellsville Elks have decided to make extensive improvements to their present building on East Main street. Contracts to be let this week will call for an expenditure of approximately $7,000, though it is likely that before the changes are completed considerable more than this sum will be spent.

The improvements call for a complete remodeling of the present building and the construction of a 100-foot extension, back to Orchard alley, in which three modern bowling alleys will be installed. The interior of the clubhouse will be repainted and repapered throughout considerable new furnishings will be bought, a new and more modern lighting system will be installed, and the pool and billiard room will be equipped with new tables. In fact the whole interior will be renovated and transformed into a seemingly new place.

Contracts for the remodeling, painting and papering were to be let today, but the contract to build the extension will not be given out for several days. This will be so constructed that it can be made a part of a new building if it is ever decided to erect one on the East Main street site. Work will begin at once.

The changes will be made under the supervision of the house committee which consists of the elective officers who are: E. E. Wallace, exalted ruler; A. J. George, esteemed leading knight; W. I. Matthews, esteemed loyal knight; Edward L. Duggan, esteemed lecturing knight; P. F. Strawn, secretary; H. C. Hays, treasurer; L. D. Madigan, E. M. Hoffman, R. W. Leiberger, trustees; W. E. Debolt, tyler, together with Joseph C. Herwick and W. A. O'Brien.

Under the new administration, there has been a revival of interest in Elkdom here and at the last two meetings there have been 10 applications for membership, though no campaign to that end has been undertaken.

BEGIN THEIR WORK

Registry Assessors Start Their Poll of County Voters.

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, May 3—Registry assessors throughout Fayette county today are receiving their books for making the 1915 registration of voters for the primaries in September and the election in November. The new books have arrived in the county commissioner's office and are being sent out today.

The assessors begin their house to house canvass throughout the precincts today. On July 20 and 21 they are required to sit at the polling places from 10 o'clock until 3, and from 6 o'clock until 9 in the evening to take the party enrollment of voters for the primaries. On August 31 and September 1, they are required to sit at the polling places for the purpose of permitting voters not registered to have their names placed on the voting lists and to hear objections to names already on the list from being allowed to remain there.

Frank Foster was today appointed by the county commissioners as assessor in the Second ward of Uniontown. Mr. Foster succeeds his father, Clark Foster, who, on account of his duties as health officer is unable to make the registration.

BUSINESS IS IMPROVING

Returning Confidence is Announced by Reserve Board.

WASHINGTON, May 3—General improvement in business conditions with "returning confidence" is announced today in the Federal Reserve Board's digest of reports of agents in the 12 bank reserve districts.

Development of a strong, active securities market on the New York Exchange and considerable activity in certain industries in connection with the war are pointed out. Prices of drygoods, textiles and other commodities have quite generally advanced since April 1 "as a reflection of better demand."

"Some improvement in the last few months" is reported from the Philadelphia district, although business conditions are below normal. Coal, number ship yards sale and upper leather print and various iron and steel industries have improved. Business conditions have improved materially in the Cleveland district. The metal industry has been stimulated by foreign orders.

Safety Razors for Safety First.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May 3—Workmen in the East Youngstown mills say they are asked to remove mustaches and beards for sanitary reasons. Mustaches are pointed out as transmitting disease germs.

Child's Arm Broken.

Ruth Collins, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Collins of East Connellsville, suffered a broken arm in a fall Saturday evening.

FROST FAILS TO DAMAGE FRUIT OR GARDEN TRUCK

It Pails Early Sunday, But Vegetation Fails to Feel Effects of the Nip.

There was a rather heavy frost early yesterday morning but it failed to do any serious damage either to fruit or to garden truck. Amateur gardeners say that sprouts which had forced their way above ground during the week were not affected by the nip they received, while the fruit blossoms likewise escaped.

It is believed that the cool spell which followed the heat wave of a week ago made the plants sufficiently hardy to withstand anything but a killing frost, and that of yesterday was not so severe.

There is every indication that the fruit crop this year will get into the bumper class if they are not visited by a killing frost or some other untoward event. Pedestrians yesterday, and they were legion, report that they never before saw trees in such a profusion of bloom. Apple and cherry trees are showing especial signs of a heavy yield.

The wheat crop is said to be in fairly good shape after a rather hard winter, while the farmers just now are busy planting the mountains in corn and oats.

EFFICIENCY CONFERENCE

It Will be Held Sunday in Methodist Episcopal Church.

An efficiency conference will be held Sunday and Monday, May 30 and 31, in the First Methodist Episcopal Church. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock Rev. John Lowe Port of New York efficiency secretary of the general conference commission, will speak on "Total Task of the Church and How to Accomplish It." At 3.30 P. M. a roundtable "The Church Efficient," will be held. On account of the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class there will be no services in the evening.

Monday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, Rev. H. S. Piper of the Scottdale Methodist Episcopal Church will speak on "Christian Stewardship," and at 4.30 o'clock Rev. Port will talk on "Financial Plan, How to Introduce It, and How to Work It." The next period will be taken up by questions on problems presented by the plan and answers by Rev. Port.

EAST END LOOKING UP

Lots of Building Going on This Year on Upper Main Street.

The east end of town is looking up this year, quite a building boom having started in that section. East Main street, especially along the new state road, is becoming quite a residential section. It is said that a number of dwellings will be erected in the township this year, in the section in which P. J. Tormity, C. W. Whipkey and O. A. Anderson have located.

Work on the new residence of Mrs. I. M. Gillett, which is within the city has been resumed, and Principal S. B. Henry of the Second ward schools, has broken ground for a dwelling on the adjoining lot.

William Leichliter has broken ground for a dwelling to be erected along the state road, near the city line.

R. S. COYLE BACK.

"Bobby" Will Manage Shady Grove Park Once More.

R. S. Coyle, familiarly known as "Bobby," as rotund and genial as ever, dropped back into town today, prepared to engineer another successful season as manager of Shady Grove Park.

Mr. Coyle looks for a big season and has ideas for a number of innovations before the summer is over. He is already trying to fix a date for the annual school picnic which comes about the close of the public school term.

PROPERTY IS SOLD.

Upper Tyrone Lots Knocked Down to Satisfy Mortgage.

At sheriff's sale conducted by Sheriff Mart A. Kiefer in the courthouse, P. B. Polk, acting as agent for Thomas Byrne of Upper Tyrone township, purchased the property of Joseph Drog and Wermonka Drog, consisting of three-fourths of an acre of land and two houses. The price was $910.

The property was sold on a mortgage held by A. S. Mates. Charles M. Pee sold the property as auctioneer. The bidding was lively.

SCHOOLS CLOSE WEDNESDAY.

Dunbar Township Grades Will End Successful Term Then.

The Dunbar township schools, with the exception of the high school, which has a nine months term, will close Wednesday after a very successful term. The high school will close June 10.

The regular meeting of the township school board will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Arlington Hotel.

President Willard Here.

President Daniel Willard of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and other officials passed through town yesterday afternoon about 2 o'clock in a special train on their way west for an inspection trip.

Freight Conductor Killed.

F. W. Pounds, of Uniontown, a freight conductor in the Rainey yards was instantly killed Saturday in the Thompson yards near Duquesne, when he stepped from behind his train into the path of another train.

Council to Meet.

Council will meet in special session at 7.30 o'clock tonight.

EFFICIENCY EXPERT SEEKING A SPEEDIER SCHEDULE FOR COKE

Connellsville Region to Valleys in 24 Hours is the Aim.

OTHER CHANGES ARE UNDER WAY

Economies in Yard Operation Will Be Affected as Result of E. T. Horn's Visit to Connellsville; Some Changes are Already Effective.

A faster movement of coke from the Connellsville region to the Valley furnaces is one of the objects of E. T. Horn's visit to Connellsville in the capacity of an efficiency expert for the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Mr. Horn's private car is now in the yards here, and he is devoting nearly 24 hours a day to the problem of getting better results in yard operation. That he knows something about efficiency is indicated in the fact that before coming to Connellsville Mr. Horn effected a saving of $2,000 a month as the result of his studies of the situation in the Grafton yards.

What success with which Mr. Horn's plans covering the movement of coke have met has not been announced, but it is known that the test train which was sent out of the region last week made good. It is proposed to deliver a train of coke to its destination 24 hours after the cars have been received from the various plants. Under the plan worked out last week, the coke was weighed at Smithfield, instead of Connellsville and the train made up there. Instead of pulling into the yards here it was brought down the main track, the engines and cabooses were quickly shifted, and the train then went on its way to New Castle, to be delivered to the furnaces of the Mahoning and Shenango valleys from there.

Whether this plan will be adopted has not been determined. The test train was a success but its continuance depends upon whether the efficiency expert is convinced the schedule would work satisfactorily if made permanent.

Various changes are being made. Some of them have been put into effect already. Others will be taken up later. One plan in view is that of doing away with the present system of attaching cabooses to outgoing trains. Under the present system the caboose is attached after the train has been made up. Hereafter, it is said, the caboose will be placed by a shifter at the time the other cars are classified, and not run off the cabooses "hump" after the train has been pulled out of the east or west bound yards as the case may be. This change, it is contended, will obviate the necessity of a long freight train making two stops once before the caboose is attached and then afterwards.

Mr. Horn has been here about a week. He travels in a special car, accompanied by a secretary. He is not an executive officer, but his experience in yard work on railroads is so wide and his knowledge of this phase of railroading so thorough that practically all of his suggestions are adopted.

Already orders have gone out effective tomorrow, that the car distributors' office is to be removed from the station to the yardmaster's office and that the others shall have their headquarters at the general yard offices instead of their present office near the shops. By these changes it is hoped to economize in time.

The changes brought about by Mr. Horn in other yards of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad have not only secured greater efficiency in the handling of trains, but have reduced the expense considerably. It is said that at Grafton his suggestions resulted in a decrease in expense of approximately $2,000 a month.

Railroad officials state, however, that the idea is to secure efficiency, no matter whether the changes involve more or less expense.

MINISTER INJURED.

Struck by Flying Stick While Driving His Automobile.

Rev. A. A. Delarme, pastor of the First Baptist Church of McKeesport, and a former pastor of the Baptist Church here was the victim of a peculiar accident while driving his automobile along Foster road last Thursday night.

Accompanied by Mrs. Delarme, he was returning home about 8.15 o'clock and had reached the bottom of the hill when the wheels of the car struck a stick in the roadway lying at such an angle that it was thrown in the air. The stick struck Rev. DeLarme in the face rendering him unconscious.

NEW BRIDGE GOING UP.

Span Over Rassler's Run is Nearing Completion.

A bridge over Rassler's run on the Springfield pike, about two miles this side of Normalville, is nearing completion. The new structure is of steel and concrete with stone abutments. While the bridge is in course of construction, traffic is being diverted over a temporary log bridge to the east.

April Hospital Report.

Miss Rebecca Clowes superintendent of the Cottage State Hospital, this morning submitted the following report for the month of April. Number of patients at the beginning of the month, 19; admitted, 14, discharged, 31, died, 1; remaining, 21.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

The first of a series of suffrage food sales held Saturday in Thomas A. Brown's log cabin on West Main street was a grand success. All the home-made pies, cakes, bread and other edibles as well as the suffrage novelties were disposed of and $30 to assist in defraying the suffrage campaign fund was realized. The sale was conducted by prominent local women interested in suffrage and the interest displayed in the sale by the public in general was greatly appreciated by those in charge. Arrangements are being made for a series of suffrage teas to be held at the homes of suffrage workers. There will be out of town speakers and persons anxious to become better informed on suffrage, will be invited. Several local women will attend a county suffrage meeting to be held Wednesday evening in Uniontown.

The monthly business and social meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian Church will be held Friday evening at the home of Mrs C. P. Hirst on Johnston avenue.

The Junior Girls Mission Band of the First Presbyterian Church will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Katherine Knox on Isabella road.

The Boys' Mission Band of the First Presbyterian Church will meet Friday afternoon after school at the home of Joseph McConnell on Johnston avenue.

The W. O. Class and the Young Men's Bible Class of the United Brethren Sunday school will be entertained at a joint meeting tomorrow evening by Mr and Mrs Levi Stoner at their home on South Arch street.

The Woman's Missionary Association of the United Brethren Church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Sanford White, Morrell avenue.

The regular meeting of the session of the First Presbyterian Church will be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at the manse on West Peach street.

The Anna M. Neff Bible Class of the First Presbyterian Church will meet this evening at the home of Mrs Harry Ruse on Race street.

The I. O. C. Society of the First Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will meet tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs W. M. Lenhart on Johnston avenue. The annual election of officers will take place.

The J. O. C. B. Class of the First Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will meet tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Vinetta Mitchell on Morrell avenue, Greenwood.

The Young Men's Bible Class of the First Methodist Episcopal Church will meet tomorrow evening in the church annex.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist Church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Ankney on Sycamore street instead of Friday evening the regular date.

The C. M. B. A. and the L. C. B. A. will hold a euchre and dance tomorrow evening in the parochial school hall. Music will be furnished by Kiferle. Orchestra and a most enjoyable evening is anticipated.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors will be held Wednesday afternoon in Odd Fellows' Hall. Arrangements will be completed for the annual inspection of the auxiliary.

PARIS OFFERS A HINT TO THE WOMAN WHO MAKES OVER.

From no less a master of tailored wear than Doucet comes this dainty costume of gabardine and a new satin-striped taffeta — both in soft taupe shade. The design of the suit will suggest to the woman who has a last-season costume to rebuild a very clever way of getting around the wide skirt difficulty. The narrow skirt of last year will make a braid-bound overskirt about a flare petticoat of the silk, and in like manner last year's coat, braid-bound, may be mounted in bolero fashion above a loose silk coat like the one pictured.

The Mission Study Class of the First Methodist Episcopal Church will meet this evening at the home of Mrs James McCarran on North Sixth street, West Side.

P. W. Black and Wilmer Sawtlight gave a dinner Saturday evening at the West Penn Tea Room. Covers for eight were laid. The dinner was served by the management of the tea room and was well appointed. Red and white carnations interspersed with asparagus formed the attractive centerpiece.

The Dorcas Society will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in the room over E. B. Hall's store in South Pittsburg street.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Cochran Memorial Church at Dawson will meet Wednesday night after prayer meeting at the home of Mrs John Leversgood.

PERSONAL.

Mrs Reals Evans and baby of Pittsburg have returned home after a visit with the former's parents, Mr and Mrs H. W. Bildegun of East Washington avenue. They were accompanied by Mrs Somers of Alberta, Can., a sister of Mrs Evans.

Soisson Theatre today, "The Black Box" two reels. "The Troubador," two reels, "A Man and His Money," and "Playmates" Juvenile comedy. Tomorrow, the six-reel drama "The Ghost Club," with Mario Bonnard—Adv.

H. R. Pigman and family have moved from East Fairview avenue to the Joseph Dixon property in East Main street. Mr. Dixon and family will reside in Pittsburg.

Mr and Mrs Emerson Wright of Greensburg were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. McPhail yesterday.

The condition of Miss Mary Erler, who has been ill at her home at Dawson, is improved.

Miss Bernice Stark of Farmington returned home this morning after a visit with Miss Matilda Rankin.

Miss Margaret Coyne and nieces, Mary and Nelle Connolly of Pittsburg were the guests of Miss Coyne's mother, Mrs Anna Coyne yesterday.

Mr and Mrs B. Goldstone have returned home from a visit with relatives in Pittsburg.

We will make you a beautiful new Spring Suit for $18 or $20—fit, style and workmanship guaranteed. Dave Cohen, Tailor.—Adv.

Patronize those who advertise.

Julius Cohen has gone to New York to go into business.

Mrs Katherine Stoner of Indianapolis, Ind., is the guest of Mrs. L. C. Shaw of Race street.

Mr and Mrs William Work returned to their home at Waynesburg this afternoon after a visit with friends here. The trip was made in their automobile.

M. S. Q. Lyon of Sewickley, motored here yesterday and spent the day at the home of his father-in-law C. P. Hood on Isabella road. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Lyon, who was the guest of her parents for the past week or more and his sister-in-law, Mrs John D. Sturgeon and baby.

S. S. Bishop of Boyce, Va., returned home Saturday after a visit with his brother W. A. Bishop, and other relatives here.

Miss Laura Wingett has returned to her home at Charleroi after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gear.

Mrs. William Porter of Normalville, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Katherine Courtney of Greenwood, was the guest of friends in Uniontown over Sunday.

Miss Birdella Miller was calling on friends in Uniontown Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Robertson, Miss Mayme McNaughton of Mount Pleasant were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hildebrand of Greenwood yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Mae Brown has returned home from Palatka, Fla., where she spent the greater part of the winter. Her mother, Mrs. D. P. Brown, who accompanied her on the trip, stopped off at Atlantic City for a sojourn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stader and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stader motored to Latrobe yesterday and visited relatives. They also visited Miss Angela Stader at St. Xavier's academy at Beatty.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter of Scottdale, were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Percy yesterday.

Mrs. George Dull and daughter, Margaret of Fayette street, were visiting in Pittsburg yesterday.

Misses Nell and Ethel Flenniken spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Blaine Reagan of Broad Ford.

Dr. C. D. Anderson who is practising dentistry in Homewood, spent Saturday night and Sunday at his home in Greenwood.

Frank Husband of Pittsburg was in town Saturday on business.

Mrs. Mary Shupe of West Newton is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Markle of the West Side.

Walton Morrow and family of Smithton spent yesterday with friends here.

Marian Husband of Mount Pleasant was a Connellsville visitor Saturday.

Robert Morton of Smock was in town over Sunday.

Miss Alice Davies of Nashua, Fla., is the guest of Mrs. J. R. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Galley of North Pittsburg street spent yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Albert at Fairchance.

Miss Elizabeth Evans is home from Beaver College for a short vacation.

William Stevenson, manager of the Pennsylvania Wire Glass Company at Dunbar, is back after a trip of several months.

Sanford M. Inks was a visitor to Pittsburg over the week end.

BAPTISTS TO MEET.

Local Delegates to Turtle Creek Are Named by Pastor.

The annual meeting of the Pittsburg Baptist Association will be held June 10 and 11 in the First Baptist Church at Turtle Creek. Rev. Wilbur Nelson has named the following delegates from the local church:

Mr. and Mrs. David Randolph, Mrs. J. D. Percy, Mrs. A. R. Boyer, Mrs. Joseph Dixon, Mrs. S. B. Dull, Mrs. Mary Robinson, Mrs. L. S. Showman, Mrs. A. B. Stauffer, J. C. Munson, J. E. Jones and A. E. Cable. Rev. Nelson will also attend.

GETS 72 HOUR TERM.

Arrested for Disorderly Conduct and Fighting, Droney Is Committed.

Patrick Droney arrested by Patrolman Thomas McDonald for disorderly conduct and fighting on West Orchard alley about 12:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon was committed for 72 hours by the mayor on Sunday morning.

Six train riders arrested by the Baltimore & Ohio police were discharged by the mayor.

For a Torpid Liver.

"I have used Chamberlain's Tablets off and on for the past six years whenever my liver shows signs of being in a disordered condition. They have always acted quickly and given me the desired relief," writes Mrs. F. H. Trubus, Springville, N. Y. For sale by all druggists.—Adv.

Building Committee Meeting.

The building committee of the First Presbyterian Church will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Title & Trust Building.

SUBMARINE WAR RESUMED; 3 SHIPS GERMANS' VICTIMS

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ter to be taken up by the government will have to do with the relief of the families of Captain Guenther, the wireless operator, and the seamen whose deaths resulted from the attack. There are no more of our ships in that vicinity but we are not going out of business on account of the affair.'

CHICAGO, May 3.—Charles C. Short, the wireless operator who is reported to have lost his life when the American steamer Gulflight was torpedoed off the Scilly Islands was making his first trip as a wireless operator. He was 22 years of age and made his home with his mother here, a widow whose husband died six years ago in Fostoria, O., and two younger brothers and sisters. He was unmarried.

He learned telegraphy when a soldier in the Philippines and obtained his first position at the key last spring when he applied at the office of the Gulflight Oil Refining Company for a position. On April 6 his mother received word that he was sailing.

OFFICIAL REPORT SAYS 34 WERE SAVED ON GULFLIGHT

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The first official report of the torpedoing of the American tanker Gulflight reached the State Department today in an undated dispatch from Consul Stephens at Plymouth, England, saying the attack was made Saturday, but the vessel was still afloat and that patrol boats were attempting to tow her to Scilly Island. Consul Stephen's message follows.

"American tanker Gulflight torpedoed off Scilly Islands first instant. Captain died heart failure, body landed. Two of crew drowned, 34 saved. Vessel afloat, patrol boats attempting tow her into Scilly."

ENGLISH CALL GERMAN GAS BOMBS INEFFECTIVE

LONDON, April 3.—There was given out today a British official statement as follows:

"At 7 P. M. May 1 the Germans attacked Hill No. 61 southeast of Ypres and yesterday evening they attacked in the neighborhood of St. Julien. We lost no ground and we inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy in spite of the fact that he again used poisonous gases emitted from tubes in the trenches and from especially manufactured shells. A German aeroplane yesterday afternoon was chased by one of our machines to within rifle range of our trenches and brought down by our fire."

ZEPPELIN SIGHTED GOING IN DIRECTION OF ENGLAND

LONDON, May 3.—A German aeroplane coming from the direction of Ostend scouted over Dover and Folkestone at noon today. It was driven off by gunfire.

It is reported that a Zeppelin is traveling in the direction of England from the island of Vlieland which is on the northern coast of the Netherlands. The airship passed over the island at 10 o'clock this morning.

SUBMARINE RUNS AMUCK IN A FLEET OF TRAWLERS

ABERDEEN, Scotland, May 3.—Trawlers making port today declared that a German submarine sunk two trawlers within 50 miles of Aberdeen Sunday. The crews of the two vessels escaped.

It would appear as though the submarine ran amuck among the Aberdeen fishing fleet. In addition to sending two to the bottom it chased three others for 20 miles. A patrol boat was then seen approaching, whereupon the submarine submerged.

LONDON, May 3.—A dispatch from a Copenhagen correspondent says that the Swedish steamer Elfdi timber laden from Helsingborg for Hull, has been torpedoed in the North Sea by a German submarine. She went to the bottom in less than three minutes.

The sixteen men and two women on board the vessel barely had time to make their escape in one of the small boats. After cruising about for two hours they were picked up by a Danish schooner and landed at Lemvig, Denmark.

PAID FIREMAN QUITS.

Fred Bass Said to Have Gone South; Temporary Sub Named.

Fred P. Bass, a member of the paid fire department left his position on Saturday evening without giving notice. It is said that he has gone south. Saturday was pay day for the city employes.

Charles Metzgar was named to fill the vacancy temporarily. This will make two vacancies to be filled by council tonight, the other to be a patrolman to succeed George Washabaugh resigned.

One Cent a Word for classified advertisements Try them

PIMPLY? WELL, DON'T BE!

People Notice It. Drive Them Off With Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

A pimply face will not embarrass you much longer if you get a package of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The skin should begin to clear after you have taken the tablets a few nights.

Cleanse the blood, the bowels and the liver with Olive Tablets.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are the successful substitute for calomel—there's never any sickness or pain after taking them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do that which calomel does, and just as effectively, but their action is gentle and safe instead of severe and irritating.

No one who takes Olive Tablets is ever cursed with "a dark brown taste," a bad breath, a dull, listless, "no good" feeling, constipation, torpid liver, bad disposition or pimply face.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil, you will know them by their olive color.

Dr. Edwards spent years among patients afflicted with liver and bowel complaints and Olive Tablets are the immensely effective result.

Take one or two nightly for a week. See how much better you feel and look. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

The Olive Tablet Company, Columbus, O.

Selling Agents for Centemeri Gloves.

THE E. DUNN STORE

Modart Corsets at $3.50 and $5.00

Our Store Policy

Just as soon as you enter our store door it is our aim to make you feel at home. You are perfectly welcome to look around without buying, as the foremost principles of the store is "Never any compulsion to buy."

The Vudor Porch Shades

Now is your opportunity to save money on your porch shades.

"The Vudor" shades are widely recognized for their many superior merits, comfort and splendid wearing quality.

They're made of wide wood slats, stained so sun cannot effect them, laced together with a strong cord. Colors tan and green. Compare our prices with others selling the same shades.

4 ft. wide by 7 ft. 8 in., reg. price $2.25 Our Price $2.00.

8 ft. wide by 7 ft. 8 in., reg. price $4.25 Our Price $3.75.

10 ft. wide by 7 ft. 8 in., reg. price $6.75 Our Price $5.75.

New Neckwear

The very latest in neckwear can always be found here; some very new things just in in organdies, voiles, and lawns, made with hand and machine embroidery, at 25c, 29c, 59c and up to $2.50 each.

A Few Items From Our Dress Goods Department

Palm Beach Cloth, very practical for skirts and suits, one of the newest cloths out; in white and sand color. 36 inches wide, yard 25c

Stripe Gabardine, another of the popular wash goods is much in use this season, 38 in. wide at, yard 50c

Plain Gabardine, white only, comes 36 in. wide, at, yard 35c

Colored Linen, soft finish in old blue, navy, lavender, rose and white 27 in. wide, at, yard 29c

36 in. voile, white in a very good quality, at, yard 12½c

36 in. Crepe, white, sold elsewhere at 15c and 18c, our price yard 12½c

36 in. Organdie, white ground with blue, pink and yellow flowers, so much in vogue this season at, yard 25c

Black and White Voiles, very popular, 36 in. wide, moderately priced at, yard 25c

A Great Saving in Suits

Too many suits and too much hot weather tells in a few words why we are starting to reduce our stock now instead of July 1st. why delay when you can buy your spring suit at such reductions as we are now offering. Every suit guaranteed to be the very latest cut and style.

$15.00	suits	$12.50	$25.00	suits	$20.00
$17.50	suits	$14.50	$27.50	suits	$22.50
$19.75	suits	$16.50	$32.50	suits	$25.00
$22.50	suits	$18.50	$35.00	suits	$25.00

ALTERATIONS FREE.

Another Drop in Millinery

We have now made another clearing out in our Millinery Department. These hats are the latest creations from our own work room as well as a great number of imported models, all beautifully trimmed with flowers and ribbon. Priced at a great saving just now at the very height of the season. They are all arranged on separate tables at $2, $3 and $4. They must be seen to be appreciated.

Lingerie Blouses, dainty white blouses made with panels of organdie or lace neatly tucked; also full effects, with organdie collars, long or three-quarter sleeves, each $1.00 to $5.00

Some of Our Leading Specials

Ladies' Union Suits, in fine Egyptian combed yarn, never sold for less than 35c, our price, each 25c

Ladies' Silk Boot Hose, in white and black, worth 39c, at pair 25c

Ladies' White Lisle Hose, a very fine quality sold elsewhere at 35c, our price, pair 25c

Children's White Lawn and Lace Caps, attractively trimmed, ranging in price at 21c, 29c, 39c, 49c up to $1.95 each.

Boys' Straw and Cloth Hats, all sizes, worth 75c at, each 49c

25 doz. Rompers, in chambray and ginghams, light and dark colors, sizes 1 to 6 years, at, each 21c

15 dozen of Oliver Twist Suits, in chambray and percales, usually sold at 39c, sizes 2 to 6 years, at, each 21c

50 pieces Satin Taffeta Ribbon, 5½ in wide, all colors, worth 25c to 29c, special at, yard 19c

THE E. DUNN STORE

CUTHBERTSON & ROE

CONNELLSVILLE, PENNSYLVANIA

The Grim Reaper

ALEX SPEAR.

Alex Spear, 73 years old died Saturday at the home of his son James Spear in Uniontown following a lingering illness. Mr. Spear died on the date of his birth. Funeral services were held this morning from the Spear residence, with interment in William Cemetery, Stewart township. Mr. Spear was born in Henry Clay township and spent most of his life on a farm in Wharton township. He is survived by three sons, John of New York, Adam of Ohiopyle, James of Uniontown and two daughters Mrs. Rose Teets of Somerfield, Miss Clara Spear of Ohiopyle, one sister, Miss Elizabeth Spear, and a brother, Samuel Spear of Confluence.

FREDERICK HARTMAN.

Frederick Hartman, 40 years old of Smithfield a well known real estate and live stock dealer, died Saturday night at his home. His widow and the following children survive: Charles, Margaret and Ewing, all of Smithfield; Jane of Cheat Haven, and Mary of Republic. Funeral tomorrow afternoon from the Presbyterian Church.

GRANT SANNER.

Grant Sanner, 41 years old, died Saturday at his home in Uniontown. His widow and two daughters survive.

MRS. COCHRAN BURIED.

Many friends and relatives attended the funeral of Mrs. Lydia Cochran held yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the family residence at Dawson. Rev. Kidwell, of the Christian Church at Vanderbilt, Rev. W. H. Purnell of the Presbyterian Church at Dawson and Rev. H. A. Baum of the Cochran Memorial Church at Dawson, officiating. The pallbearers were George Cochran Jr., Clarence Kurtz, Richard McIntyre, Joseph Cottom, Philip Cochran and Harry Cochran. Interment in Cochran cemetery.

Commencement at Dawson.

The annual commencement exercises of the Dawson public schools will be held tomorrow evening in the Cochran Memorial Methodist Church at Dawson. Superintendent J. W. Wright of the Uniontown schools will deliver the class address.

Second Daughter Born.

A daughter, the second in the family, was born Saturday night to Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Mitchell of East Green street.

COLONIAL THEATRE

H. O. KEAGY, Mgr.

TUESDAY

Matinee and Night. 2 to 5 7 to 10:30

DANIEL FROHMAN presents The Celebrated International Star

GABY DESLYS

(Supported by Harry Pilcer) in an original story of the theatre

"Her Triumph"

In 5 parts

SATURDAY

John Emerson in "THE BACHELOR'S ROMANCE."

10 The Home of Paramount Pictures 5c

Convention Delegates.

Miss Grace Mangus was yesterday elected to represent the Sunday school and Miss Grace Semblower the Christian Endeavor Society of the Methodist Protestant Church at the denominational convention at Amity on May 7.

Mrs. Kennel Is Improved.

There is a slight improvement in the condition of Mrs. C. H. Kennel of Rice street who is ill at the South Side Private Hospital.

NEW QUARANTINE.

Hempfield Township, Westmoreland County, Now Under Ban.

Announcement has been made that Hempfield township in Westmoreland county, has been placed under quarantine because of an outbreak of foot and mouth disease.

The bulletin of May 1 issued by the State Live Stock Sanitary Board places this new quarantine on about 15 other sections throughout the state where the disease has broken out again.

Restaurant to be Sold.

Notices are posted announcing the sale of the White House Cafe on South Pittsburg street on May 10, at the suit of W. C. Bishop, who sold out to W. H. Wolfslayer shortly before leaving for a trip to the coast.

Abe Martin.

Rev. Wiley Tanger is goin' t' deliver a sermon in slang next Sunday t' see if he can't git th' organ paid fer. There's no losses fer a lack o' foresight.

HORLICK'S

The Original MALTED MILK

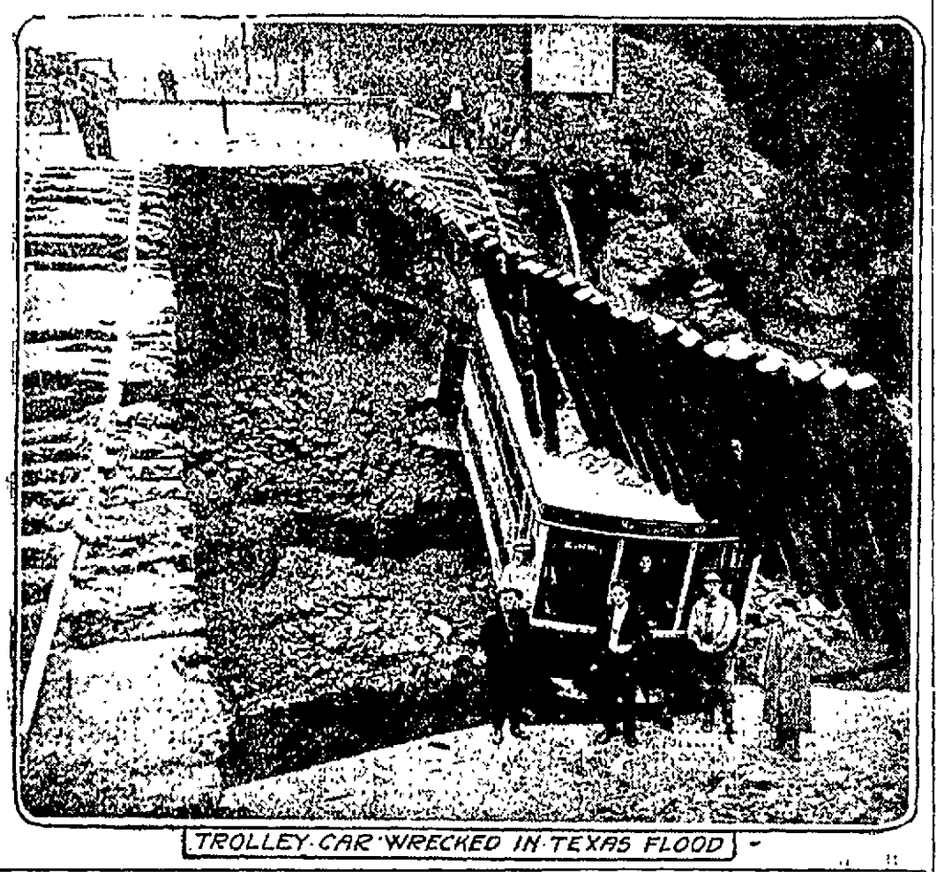
Unless you say "HORLICK'S" you may get a Substitute.

EGYPTIENNE "STRAIGHTS" CIGARETTES

The *Uniformity* of "STRAIGHTS" compares favorably with any high-class Turkish Cigarette at any price. "STRAIGHTS" are made with greater care than many higher-priced Turkish brands. The same choice types of 100% Pure Turkish tobacco are always used. "STRAIGHTS" smokers will tell you that "STRAIGHTS" *never change*—year after year they afford the same mild, delightful, satisfying smoke of Turkish tobacco at its best.

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY 10 for 10c

Twenty-Seven Lives Were Lost in Floods Which Swept Through Texas



TROLLEY CAR WRECKED IN TEXAS FLOOD

STATE CALLS ON EVERYONE TO AID GOOD ROADS DAY

Highway Department Officials Will Aid Township Workers.

MAY 26 IS THE DATE SET

Highway Commissioner Cunningham is Anxious to Make Governor's Plan a Tremendous Success and Points to Example of Washington County.

Special to "The Courier".

HARRISBURG, May 3.—The proclamation issued by Governor Brumbaugh designating Wednesday, May 26, as "Good Roads Day" throughout Pennsylvania has brought an immediate response. State Highway Commissioner Cunningham and Chief Engineer Uhler, together with First Deputy State Highway Commissioner Hunter at the head of the Bureau of Township Highways, have taken prompt steps to insure the hearty co-operation of the forces of the State Highway Department with those voluntarily enlisted in the counties of the commonwealth.

According to a statement issued from the State Highway Department today, every effort will be made not only to enlist the forces of the State Highway Department on "Good Roads Day," but also to urge and advise township supervisors' boards in the more than 1,500 townships throughout the state to do all that they can to make the "Good Roads Day" redound in the state's history. As showing the interest taken by the department in the project, the statement cites the fact that Chief Engineer Uhler has written to the assistant engineers in charge of the districts throughout the state, telling them that it is the wish of State Highway Commissioner Cunningham that they make such arrangements as are necessary to give such advice and encouragement as is possible to the movement." The chief engineer further has told the assistant engineers that should there be any machinery or other equipment not in use on state highways, they may authorize its being used on the township roads on that day, and they are instructed also to authorize the superintendents of their districts to co-operate. Continuing, the statement says:

"Furthermore, First Deputy State Highway Commissioner Hunter has written a circular letter to the county superintendents and the assistant engineers, in which he asks them, on behalf of the Bureau of Township Highways, to extend their co-operation in making the state wide 'Good Roads Day' a success. Mr. Hunter calls their attention to the fact that on 'Good Roads Day' in Washington county last year, about $12,000 worth of work was done at but little cost to the township. He continues 'business men from adjacent boroughs and villages and students from the college turned out en masse, farmers stopped their usual work for the day and helped as best they could, the women and children also helped in supplying food and refreshments to the other workers. What was done once can be done again, and the results obtained in Washington county last year can be duplicated all over the commonwealth this year. It means some additional work for you, but we feel sure that we can depend upon you to make the big movement a success.'

"Mr. Hunter also has written a circular letter to the township supervisors, in which he expresses the same idea and adds "as township supervisors you are directly affected by this movement and the Bureau of Township Highways urges that you lay aside all other wrok on this day and, along with the other volunteers in your neighborhood, give your labor for the improvements of your roads.

"We would suggest that each supervisor take a leading part by organizing the work in his district; get together with the business men and all organizations in your township and affect an organization to direct the work. Do not hesitate to ask the local representatives of this office for any information that you may need concerning this work.'

"State Highway Commissioner Cunningham declared today that while his department did not seek to father the 'Good Roads Day' plan, nevertheless he wanted all interested to understand that the department would co-operate in every way possible with the citizens of the state in making 'Good Roads Day' successful."

Mount Pleasant

Special to The Courier

MOUNT PLEASANT, May 3.—The four pot gas furnace at the Bryce Brothers glass factory was blown out on Saturday and the large number one furnace this morning. This means steadier work for the men and the girls employed at Bryce Brothers glass factory. The cutters have been very busy and have been working a couple of nights a week.

At the G. A. R. meeting on last Saturday evening it was decided to have Memorial Day on Monday, May 31. The memorial services will be preached in the Grand Opera House on Sunday, May 23 at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon. No minister has been chosen to preach the sermon. On Memorial Day the address will be made at the cemetery by Mr. Pershing of Greensburg. T. O. Anderson will be chief marshal of the parade of which an invitation is being extended to Company E, Tenth Regiment, all patriotic organizations, all lodges, and the firemen. James S. Braddock extended an invitation to the members of the G. A. R. to be their host on Memorial Day and this was accepted and gladly welcomed by the men. Committees were appointed to look after the decorating of the graves. No canvass of the town will be made by the veterans this year as the county commissioners have given $60 to decorate the graves. The ranks are thinning out and the men who are able to turn out to the meetings are few.

There was a large number of the Julia Rebekah lodge gathered at the I. O. O. F. Hall last evening and marched from there to the Methodist Episcopal Church where Rev. C. P. Sallady preached an excellent sermon to mark the ninety-sixth anniversary of Odd Fellowism.

Rufus Zimmerman and family of Pittsburg were guests over Sunday of Mrs. Zimmerman of Main street.

V. G. Weimer, Earl Snyder, Harvey Mellinger, H. S. Foust and August Grosser will leave today for Indian Creek where they will spend a couple of days fishing.

Mrs. Howard was at Whitney over Sunday visiting her daughter, Mrs. Albert Dullinger.

Mrs. Maude Monohor of Ligonier, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cunningham.

Prof. and Mrs. Barr were at Uniontown on Saturday. Mr. Barr has been elected manual training teacher there.

Alex Snedden of Latrobe, was the guest of friends here over Sunday.

Surprise Birthday Party.

Mrs. P. Haas gave a surprise birthday party in honor of her daughter, Esther T. Haas's twenty-first birthday Saturday evening at their home at Pennsville. Those present were: Casper Murray, Harold Coughenour, Edward Henry, Charles and Rosa Bailey of Connellsville; Elizabeth Zeilhoffer, Everson; Margaret Nicholson, Greensburg; Patrick, Joseph and Julia Hickey, Scottdale, Miss Mayme Barry, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Decker and daughter, Mildred, Shady Grove, Pa. Music was furnished by Miss Rose Bailey and Miss Mayme Barry. Various games were played and at 10:30 o'clock lunch was served. Miss Haas received a number of beautiful and useful presents.

Chamberlain's Liniment.

This preparation is intended especially for rheumatism, lame back, sprains and like ailments. It is a favorite with people who are well acquainted with its splendid qualities. Mrs. Charles Tanner, Wabash, Ind., says of it, "I have found Chamberlain's Liniment the best thing for lame back and sprains I have ever used. It work like a charm and relieves pain and soreness. It has been used by others of my family as well as myself for upwards of twenty years." 25 and 50 cent bottles. For sale by all druggists.—Adv.

Positive Relief For Constipation

The progress of modern medical science is, perhaps, no more forcefully evident than in the simplifying of many of the old time remedies of past generations. For instance, the harsh cathartics and violent purgatives used by our forefathers to relieve constipation are now known to be not only unnecessary but really harmful. Constipation can be more effectively relieved without the discomfort and pain these old-time remedies occasion.

A combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, sold in drug stores under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is most effective, yet mild and pleasant. It is absolutely free from opiates and narcotics and equally as desirable a remedy for the tiniest babe as for aged manhood. A free trial bottle can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 452 Washington St., Monticello, Ills.

WOMAN IN BAD CONDITION

Restored To Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Montpelier, Vt. — "We have great faith in your remedies. I was very irregular and was tired and sleepy all the time, would have cold chills, and my hands and feet would bloat. My stomach bothered me, I had pain in my side and a bad headache most of the time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me lots of good and I now feel fine. I am regular, my stomach is better and my pains have all left me. You can use my name if you like. I am proud of what your remedies have done for me." — Mrs. MARY GAUTHIER, 21 Ridge St., Montpelier, Vt.

An Honest Dependable Medicine

It must be admitted by every fair-minded, intelligent person, that a medicine could not live and grow in popularity for nearly forty years, and to-day hold a record for thousands upon thousands of actual cures, as has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, without possessing great virtue and actual worth. Such medicines must be looked upon and termed both standard and dependable by every thinking person.

If you have the slightest doubt that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will help you, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass., for advice. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.

Are You a Patriot?
Then Show Your Colors

Get ready for Decoration Day and the Fourth of July.

Every patriotic family of the land should have a good, durable American Flag for public and private celebrations.

THE DAILY COURIER is going to make it easy for every family in this part of Pennsylvania to secure for themselves a fine American Flag at small cost. A great opportunity for every Business House and every School District.

A fast color, 5x8 ft., clamp dyed Flag containing 48 stars (the two new stars for New Mexico and Arizona).

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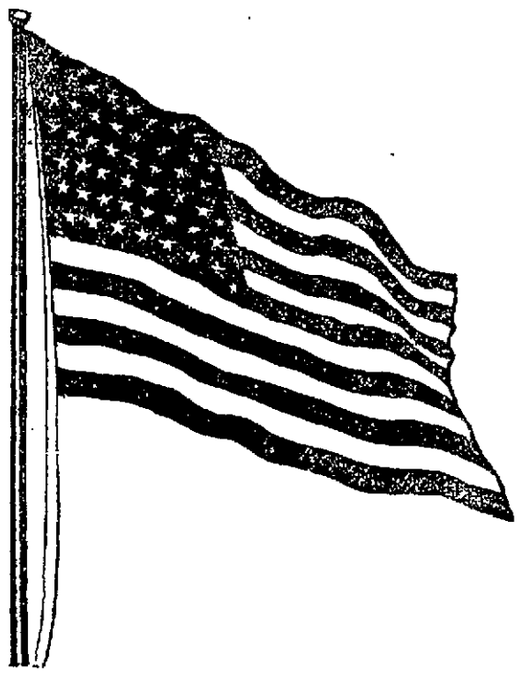

Flag Days

The following are recommended as flag days, in addition to recognized national holidays:

Jan. 1.—American Flag First Used by Washington.
Jan. 18.—Daniel Webster Born.
Jan. 26.—Charles Sumner Born.
Feb. 12.—Abraham Lincoln Born.
April 2.—Thomas Jefferson Born.
April 19.—Battle of Lexington.
April 27.—U. S. Grant Born.
April 30.—Inauguration of Washington.
May 14.—Founding of Jamestown.
May 29.—Patrick Henry Born.
June 14.—American Flag Adopted.
June 17.—Battle of Bunker Hill.
Sept. 10.—Perry's Victory.
Sept. 22.—Emancipation Proclamation.
Oct. 12. — Columbus Discovered America.
October 19.—Cornwall's Surrender.
Dec. 16.—Boston Tea Party.
Dec. 22.—Forefathers' Day.

A $2.50 Flag for 98c and one Coupon cut from The Courier.

Let us twine each thread of the glorious tissue of our country's flag about our heart strings, and looking upon our homes and catching the spirit which breathes upon us from the battlefield of our fathers, let us resolve that, come weal or woe, we will in life and death, now and forever, stand by the Stars and Stripes. They have floated over our cradles; let it be our prayer and our struggle that they shall float over our graves. They have been unfurled from the snows of Canada to the plains of New Orleans, to the halls of the Montezumas, and amid the solitude of every sea, and everywhere as the luminous symbol of resistless and beneficent power, and they led the brave and free to victory and to glory.—Holt.

Out of town readers will be required to send 8 cents additional to defray cost of mailing.

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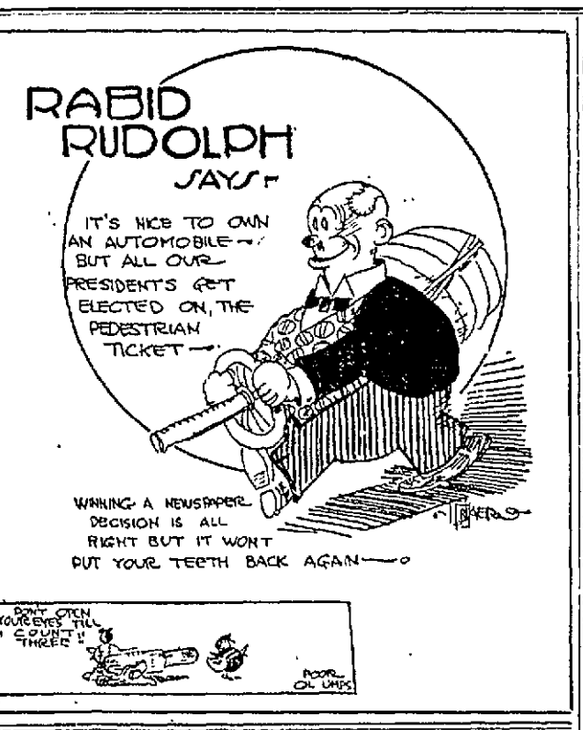

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The Soisson

"THE BLACK BOX" TODAY.

"The Black Box," which is the fourth episode of this great serial, will be presented at the Soisson Theatre today. The play has Herbert Rawlinson and Anna Little as the stars. It is an exciting serial. The two reel Big U western drama, "The Troubadour," has Murdock McQuarrie and Agnes Vernon in the leading roles. "A Man and His Money" is a Rex drama "with a punch." The Sterling juvenile comedy, "Playmates," is a purely funny play. Tomorrow, the great actor, Mario Bonnard, universally known as "Satan," will appear in the wonderful six reel drama, "The Ghost Club."

Crushed to Death.

Harry Beakley, aged 35, of Camden, N. J., was crushed between a freight car and a concrete wall at Oliver No. 3 on Saturday and so badly injured that he died several hours later at the Uniontown Hospital.

Patronize those who advertise.

The Colonial

GABY DESLYS.

It will be surprising to notice the effect of Mlle. Gaby Deslys' initial motion picture appearance at the Colonial tomorrow night, in an original story of the theatre written expressly for her, and produced by the Famous Players Film Company in Paris. This four-part Paramount feature is one of the most unique photoplays ever exhibited.

In the course of the feature Mlle. Deslys, supported by her dancing partner, Harry Pilcer, presents the dances which have won such sensational triumphs on the stage.

The subject offers many striking effects, with little intimate touches of the theatre, the dressing rooms, the stage, which, by the way, is one of the most unusual sets ever conceived for the screen, and many other novel arrangements. A carefully chosen cast of distinguished stage performers assist the dancing star in making "Her Triumph" doubly appropriate.

Read the advertisements today.

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Present this Coupon and 98 Cents and receive a $2.50 Flag. Size 5x8 Feet, clamp dyed, containing 48 stars.

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MONDAY EVENING, MAY 3, 1915.

BACK TO PROTECTION.

The effects of the European war upon American business are too evident for dispute. To a certain extent our industrial revival is due to the war. Our mills and factories are making war material and our granaries are supplying food for the fighting millions, all at war prices.

Cautious business men are beginning to ask themselves the question, "What effect will peace have upon American business?"

The demand for war materials will vanish, of course, but the demand for foodstuffs will no doubt continue until such time as the battlefields can be returned to farming purposes again. In the meantime, European manufacturers will turn their attention again to their promising export business which was rudely interrupted by the outbreak of hostilities and has been practically suspended ever since. Under the Underwood bill the flood of foreign goods will be resumed and the effect upon American industry must necessarily be similar to that which existed in 1914 prior to the war.

Under ordinary circumstances it would be some time before the foreign mills and factories would be in shape to export heavily, but no less a person than John Wanamaker, the Philadelphia merchant, says Europe is full of stored goods which will be released as soon as the war ends. In an address before the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, he declared:

"I believe that the hardest rap for the manufacturers is still in front of us. I believe that when the war came a great many firms abroad had to do something with their assets and their merchandise on hand. I think that much of their goods is still to be sold. The moment that peace comes this country will be flooded under the low tariff with the goods of the foreign manufacturers and at prices lower than anything we can meet here for a long time to come."

If this be true the country needs a quick change back to Protection. This change cannot take place until next year, but it should be made thorough and complete, and the plainer that intention is manifested the greater will be the confidence and the prosperity of the country in the interim.

A TARIFF LESSON.

"The A B C of the Tariff," as set forth in Leslie's magazine is interesting. A contemporary quotes the following lesson:

"Does Tariff reduction benefit the consumer? Let us set facts against theory. Canada places a duty of $7.84 a ton on steel rails from the United States. We admit Canadian mills free. Canadian mills have sold nearly 60,000 tons of rails in this country since the first of the year. Canada makes the profit. Does it fill the American workingmon's envelope or pay his taxes? Would a Tariff for the benefit of the United States be preferable? These are simple questions, not hard to answer."

The absence of any duty on steel rails has in this case perhaps to some extent benefitted the immediate consumers, that is to say the railroads purchasing the rails, because of the fact that they have evidently bought them at less than American rails were offered, but American industry has undoubtedly been the loser, the American workmen have lost that much employment at a time when there are more idle men than active jobs in the rail mills.

Some orders for rails have gone to Canadian mills at cheaper prices than American bidders named owing doubtless to advantages of location which have lessened costs of delivery. Upon the whole American mills can compete with Canadian mills and in this connection it may be remarked that some Canadian mills are owned and operated by American capital, but if the Republican Tariff policy is restored with its Protective principle and its Reciprocity features the unfairness which permits Canadian mills to compete for American business and puts a handicap of $7.84 per ton on the American manufacturer when he wants to compete with Canadian mills for Canadian business will no longer exist.

AN ENCOURAGING REPORT.

The quarterly report of the United States Steel Corporation reflects the improvement in steel business which has increased the furnace coke production in the Connellsville coke region from 200,000 tons weekly in January to 300,000 tons weekly at the close of April.

The March earnings of the corporation were at the rate of $21,000,000 per quarter, while those of January were at the rate of $5,000,000 per quarter or less than half the requirements for interest, sinking fund and depreciation.

These figures do not guarantee the dividends passed in January in preference to cutting wages, but they give substantial promise of their restoration. With the railroad business certain to market further activity in production is probable.

Prices, however, remain at the present low level and do not encourage early advances in pig iron and coke, though the prices of these raw materials are not necessarily regulated by the prices of finished steel.

NOT AN ARGUMENT.

The Uniontown News Standard argues against the repeal of the non-partisan judiciary ballot on the ground that the judicial primary of 1907 was corrupt. It does not mention the Democratic judicial campaign of 1913. Nevertheless if that campaign was even corrupt it may have been furnish no argument for a judicial primary or a non-partisan judicial ballot. The methods alleged to have been used in those campaigns could be more readily and certainly and effectively used under the non-partisan ballot law.

JAMES FAIRCHILD HUDSON.

James Fairchild Hudson died suddenly Sunday morning, thus removing one of the landmarks of Pittsburg journalism and one of the main pillars of the Pittsburg Dispatch, which he served as editorial writer for 41 years. He was a thinker, a scholar and a writer, and he did much to make The Dispatch a force in the community and the country. He ranked as an authority on financial and industrial subjects, and his writings sometimes took book form because of their popularity. He did a great work, faithfully and well. A soldier in the Civil War when a mere boy, he was ever afterward an advocate of international peace. His end was peaceful as his life had been. We knew him long and well and knew of him no ill. Now that his race is run crown him with laurels won.

The Connellsville Automobile Club has asked the City Council to enforce the old borough ordinance regulating automobiles in the city. The City Council ought to reenact the old ordinance and a number of others and see that all of them are enforced. In the meantime, it is refreshing to find men who frankly admit that they need regulating.

The European war news continues to be full and contradictory.

The Courier prints more classified advertisements than any other paper in Fayette county, and its all alive. There's no dead stuff among it carried for the purpose of making a show. It's a live advertising page in a live paper used by live advertisers who report live results.

When a Frick superintendent goes out or goes up there is a movement all along the line.

Fairmont is promised some Western Maryland shops as a part of the Consolidation coal deal. Railroad shops that are located anywhere for any cause other than efficiency are not well located and never stay very long. Fairmont may be a good location but if it isn't its railroad shops are likely to be wheeled away in a night.

The commencement season is on and lots of boys will soon commence to know what it is to earn money as well as to spend it.

The coal boom sighted by the Fairmont operators seems to have reached the Somerset district already. Saw em first by heck!

The Uniontown New Freedom Standard describes Coon Hollow as a section of the town inhabited by negroes and degenerate whites addicted to taking dope and voting the Republican ticket. The Standard evidently thinks the last the greater offense. Coon Hollow's politics is really its most redeeming feature.

The Uniontown New Freedom Standard boasts of its superior editorial page. The bought feature stuff is pretty good, and it seems so much better in comparison.

The Connellsville coke market is stronger, but it is strong rather in hope than in condition, and $5 coke is still a 50-to-1 shot.

The Uniontown Herald paragrapher thinks that Connellsville's slogan should be, "Die down and die." Technically speaking, this is a low-down lie.

The anthracite coal tax is still in the courts, but the chances against escaping it do not seem to be very bright. The more money the state spends the greater the demands upon its paternalism.

The American benzol industry is growing and the manufacture of aniline dyes is under serious consideration. There is no excuse for this country buying these products from Germany. We ought to make of them all we need and have a surplus to sell.

It is to be hoped that the ice company will have become reorganized in time for the summer business.

Fayette county is out of debt. This is one of the wholesome results of that wicked Republican administration the Barefoot organ are highly paid to poorly talk about.

The Connellsville bond money is as slow as molasses in winter time, but then it's coming from Philadelphia.

The taxicab license should be repealed or suspended until times are better, say until we have a Republican national administration.

German aircraft are active over England, but they have done so little relative damage as to merit the verdict that they are military scarecrows.

The Pacific Coast has had its storm. Let us hope that summer will now come.

The warm April weather brought out the June bug, a month ahead of time. He will be a pinched bug if he doesn't get back to cover.

Colon has been nearly wiped out by fire. It was not remarkable for its architectural beauty or its modern construction and conveniences. Perhaps the new Colon will prove that the old Colon did not perish in vain.

Governor Brumbaugh believes that preachers should pay their way on the railroads at the same rates as other people. There is no good reason why the law should discriminate in favor of any class of citizens. It is at best a bad proposition.

The get-together meeting of the Connellsville Water Company and the Connellsville Council didn't get very close together.

In spite of the hard times the moving picture shows take in $40,000,000 annually. The movie is one of the luxuries which has been voted a necessity.

The Uniontown News Standard wants to know what has become of the old-fashioned business that is run on the square. Most business is done on the square. The country is honest enough. The Standard merely sees with a crooked vision.

The Legislature is getting ready to adjourn, but the Commencement season is at hand, and the graduates will tell us what to do to save the nation.

The dangers of the deep this summer will not be confined to the submarine. The idiot who rocks the boat is still with us.

The Uniontown New Freedom Standard seems to have a bad case of Vancooperitis.

It's beautiful May
And the dance to pay
In circles industrial
The unions all strike
And the tramps all hike
To places substantial

Looking Backward

News of the Past Condensed from the Files of The Courier.

FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1885.

Of the 10,571 ovens in the region, there are 3,011 idle. The pool ovens only work three days a week, but an average of 620 cars a day is maintained.

Harry Sullivan, eight years old, has a narrow escape from death when he is knocked down by a southbound passenger train.

A lodge of Chosen Friends is organized here with Dr. E. T. White as commander; J. Cunningham, vice commander; M. W. Moreland, recorder; A. S. Flemiken, treasurer; B. C. Taylor, prelate; J. McCutcheon, marshal; J. E. Pronst, warden; Austin Cable, guard; S. McClelland, secretary.

Dr. T. H. White, I. C. Moore, David Roberts and John R. Irvin bring home 130 trout from the streams at Markleton.

J. M. Kurtz is promoted to assistant cashier of the First National Bank.

Rev. J. P. Sloan of Alliance, O., becomes pastor of the Disciple Church here.

The old Market House where the Colonial National Bank now stands is put up at public sale and $1,500 is bid for it, but council adjourns the sale. It is understood that $5,000 is wanted for it.

FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1895.

Detailed report of the coke trade for the week ending Saturday, April 27 shows a total of 17,811 ovens in the region, of which 13,160 are active and 4,651 are idle, with an estimated production of 122,170 tons.

Shipments for the week aggregated 6,242 cars, consigned as follows: To Pittsburg, 2,115 cars; to points west, 2,811 cars; to points east, 1,317 cars.

Coke production has fallen off from 165,000 tons to 122,000 tons weekly, the operators having cut production down to conform with demand.

An epidemic of oil fever threatens to break out again in Fayette county. Despite the futility of test wells sunk in various sections of the region, Resin Snatt options about 6,000 acres of land between Springfield and Mill Run, upon which tests will be made. This recalls the well sunk by the Connellsville Light & Heat Company when a small pocket of oil was struck at 2,568 feet. A contract to go 500 feet further was awarded but in some mysterious manner the cable parted one night leaving the tools 2,585 feet in the earth. The venture was then dropped.

Burglars blow the safe in the office of Burgess Newcomer at New Haven but get nothing because there was nothing in it.

Eleven are graduated from the Dunbar schools. James G. Browne, colored, stores with the best oration, "The Dignity of Labor." Other graduates are: Eva Creel, A. B. D. Campbell, Maud F. Baer, Emma Gentry, Ella S. Byers, Nannie A. Patterson, Lawrence R. Stewart, Dora Smiley, Emma R. Patterson and Frank R. Herron. Principal J. S. Carroll is presented with a lamp by the class.

Rev. Ellis B. Burgess of Avonmore, accepts a call to be pastor of the English Lutheran Church.

Lumber is on the ground for J. T. Johnston's new residence on East Main street.

About 50 bicycle riders participate in the lantern parade of the Connellsville Wheelmen.

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1905.

Detailed report of the coke trade for the week ending Saturday, April 29, 1905, shows a total of 23,281 ovens in the region, of which 21,298 are active and 1,983 are idle, with an estimated production of 269,378 tons.

Shipments for the week aggregate 13,209 cars, consigned as follows: To Pittsburg, 5,025 cars; to points West, 6,721 cars; to points East, 1,451 cars.

Coke production continues to hold up well despite the fact that there has been a marked decline in the market.

The Mountain Water Supply Company, which is erecting a big reservoir at Indian Creek, plans to run its line through Connellsville and Bullskin townships instead of following the right of way of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

John Culler leases 32 ovens of the old Tyrone plant at Broad Ford and will burn coal mined at Vanderbilt. This plant has been idle for three years.

Prompt action by Engineer Patrick O'Brien of the Pennsylvania passenger train due here at 7.05 o'clock prevents a collision with a freight train. Conductor William McCormick tries to flag the freight but the engineer does not heed his signal.

Miss Blair S. Swartzwelder dies at the family home on South Prospect street.

Rockwell Marietta purchases a White 15-horsepower automobile, and George Snyder a 10-horsepower White steamer.

Miss Gretta Williams gives a 6 o'clock dinner in honor of the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Williams of South Connellsville.

After six years as a dry town Vanderbilt is wet again, J. J. McFarland opening a hotel after securing a license from court.

C. E. Schmitz plans an addition to his racket store, to run 65 feet along Arch street to Orchard alley.

Classified Advertisements.

One Cent a Word.

No advertisements for Less Than 15 Cents. Classified columns close at noon. Advertisements of wants, sales, etc., received after that hour will not appear until the day following.

Wanted.

WANTED — YOUR BUSINESS BARBERING RENDINE'S 4marstfd

WANTED—POSITION AS BOOK-keeper, office or store clerk, by man age 24. Good education. Best references. "M" care Courier. 1may2td*

WANTED—MEN—OUT OF A POSITION? Sell my fascinating postals, quick sellers, "Better than September Morn," samples 10c. MISS ALICE BANNER, Sta. R, N. Y. City. 4may1t*

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED girl to work in gents furnishing department. Salary $5.00 to $6.00 per week to start with. Address "X. Y. Z." care Courier. 3may2td

WANTED—RAILWAY MAIL clerks. $75.00 month. Full unnecessary. Write immediately for full particulars. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, DEPT. 351 D, Rochester, N. Y. 2apr-M-W-F-S-2mos

For Rent.

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE. Inquire 217 CARNEGIE AVE. 25marstfd

FOR RENT—FURNISHED HOUSE-keeping rooms, 309 E. MAIN ST. 2aprtfd

FOR RENT—DESIRABLE OFFICE room with private lavatory in the SMUTZ BUILDING, West Side. 17marstf

FOR RENT—FINE LARGE STORE rooms in the SMUTZ OFFICE BUILDING, West Side. 17marstf

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. 109 S. EIGHTH STREET. 3may2td

FOR RENT—4 ROOM FLAT. PRICE $12.00. Inquire MRS. L. S. SLILL, 114 Morton Avenue. 2may2td*

FOR RENT—PRESENT PEOPLES furniture and hardware store. Also room 40x100 second floor. Inquire at store. 3may4td

FOR RENT — FLAT 5 ROOMS; large hall. Corner Main and Sixth streets, West Side. Inquire 106 SIXTH STREET. 29apr3td*

FOR RENT—ONE FOUR ROOM house near corner of Main and Sixth streets, West Side. $12.50 per month. Inquire 906 WEST MAIN STREET. 22apr-tfd

FOR RENT—THE NEW EMPIRE Theatre. Size of room 28x125 feet. Good location. Rent $100.00 per month. Michael Hurley Estate. JOHN IRWIN, Trustee. 9aprtfd

For Sale.

FOR SALE—SIX ROOM MODERN house. Very reasonable terms. Address "HOUSE," The Courier. 1may3t

FOR SALE—A GOOD YOUNG COW. Address LESTER SWANK, Connellsville, Pa., R. D. 5. 3may2td*

FOR SALE—"THE BOULDERS" Residence of Mrs. A. C. Humbert, South Connellsville. 1may2td*

FOR SALE—THE FAMOUS SWEET Grass country, noted for heavy yields of grain and thriving stock. I have some excellent bargains in good agricultural land on best of terms. Address KENNETH G. LUKE, Cashier, Sweet Grass, Mont. 4may1-8t*

FOR SALE—DRYGOODS STORE 50 miles from Cleveland, rich agriculture community; city of 1,800, stock about $5,500, in good shape, no dress goods or silks, no coats or suits, located where there are no labor troubles. Address "STORE," Courier office. 3may1-5t*

Lost.

LOST—PAIR EYEGLASSES ON THE baseball diamond Saturday. Return to WILSON & WISHART'S STORE, Dunbar. 3may1td

LOST—RAIN COVER FOR WAGON on East Main street, near Hanna's place. Reward if returned to Courier office. 3may2td*

Notice.

IF PERRYOPOLIS MAN WHO wrote of the 118 acre farm will send name he will receive reply. L. ABELL, Cortland, O. 3may1td*

Notice.

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY has opened a Hessian Premium Station with Mr. D. J. Enos, 112 North Pittsburg street. Cigar Store Premiums on display now. 1may3td*

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Controller of Fayette county, Pa., at his office in the court house, Uniontown, Pa., until 12:00 o'clock noon, Thursday, May 6, 1915, for furnishing approximately 8,000 gallons of "Parvin N. T. O. B." Fayette City, Pa., via P. & L. E. R. R., for the construction of the Washington township county road. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for $100.00. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. HARRY KISINGER, Controller. 1apr24may1-

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Controller of Fayette county, Pa., at his office in the court house, Uniontown, Pa., until 12:00 o'clock noon, Thursday, May 6, 1915, for the construction of one abutment and two wing walls, and other repairs of Bridge No. 6, over Dunlaps Creek, near Dunbar, Pa., between Menallen and Redstone townships. Plans and specifications are on file. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for $100.00. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. HARRY KISINGER. apr24-26may1-3

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of Andrew F. Cooper, architect, 701 First National Bank Building, Uniontown, Pa., up until noon Saturday, May the 8th for the installation of a plumbing system and a system of electric wiring in the additions to the Lisbon high school building at Lisbon, No. 1, Pa., for the school district of Dunbar township, Fayette County. Plans and specifications can be had at the office of the architect. A certified check for $25.00 must accompany the bid on the plumbing, and a certified check for $100.00 must accompany the bid on the wiring. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The School Board of the School District of Dunbar Township. I. D. SCHUYLER, President. JOHN L. CONWAY, Secretary. ANDREW F. COOPER, Architect. 3may3td

Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on the 9th day of April, 1915, the Monongahela Ferry Company filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette County, at No. 522 June Term, 1915, its petition praying for a decree of dissolution, and that a hearing upon said application for dissolution has been fixed by said court for May 25th, 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M., when all persons interested may attend and show cause against the granting of the prayer of the said petitioner, if they so desire. GEO. M. HOSACK, PLAYFORD & PHILLIPS, Solicitors for Petitioner. 3may4timon

Attorney-at-Law.

C. D. BARR, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Title & Trust Bldg., Connellsville, Pa. 3marstfd

STATEMENT OF CIRCULATION.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, COUNTY of Fayette, ss.

Before me, the subscriber, a Notary Public within and for said county and state, personally appeared James J. McPartland who being duly sworn according to law, did depose and say:

That he is Assistant Manager of Circulation of The Courier, a daily newspaper published in Connellsville, Pa., and that the number of papers printed during the week ending Saturday, May 1, 1915, was as follows:

April 26	7,015
April 27	7,010
April 28	7,013
April 29	7,010
April 30	6,950
May 1	7,001
Total	42,050
Daily Average	7,010

That the daily circulation by months for the year 1915 to date was as follows:

January	179,885	6,803
February	186,185	6,657
March	180,581	6,933
April	182,981	7,020

That the daily circulation by months for the year 1914 to date was as follows:

January	187,088	6,002
February	167,531	6,080
March	183,039	7,116
April	186,135	7,159
May	181,000	7,077
June	184,111	6,867
July	187,342	7,205
August	180,893	6,925
September	178,522	6,808
October	183,257	7,010
November	166,211	6,925
December	175,501	6,750
Totals	2,189,512	6,985

And further sayeth not.

JAS. J. McPARTLAND

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of May, 1915.

J. B. KURTZ, Notary Public.

Washday

By GEORGE FITCH,
Author of "At Good Old Siwash."

Wash day is another of the grand old American institutions which is being badly dented by the relentless hoof of progress.

It was once a solemn and alarming institution—half way between a volcano and a funeral. Clouds of steam rolled up from the basement into the stricken house. The rough grating sound of knuckles being worn off on the wash board and the low, strangling murmur of the mother, trying to restore three children with her mouth full of clothes pins brought sadness to father as he sat at the dinner table eating a cold potato of yesterday's publication and sustaining life with the thought that tomorrow would be ironing day and that if he wanted any dinner he could fry himself an egg.

Those were grand old times but they are rapidly passing away. Wash day is now more serious than an ordinary attack of measles in the family. Nowadays mother stuffs the washing machine full of dirty clothes on Monday morning, turns on the electric current and telephones the power house to have the firemen keep up the current, as she wants to get through in time to go to the club in the afternoon.

Niagara Falls now wishes most of the clothes in Buffalo, N. Y., and it is

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ets has a backache it doesn't mention the fact. It not only washes them but it wrings them and irons them—and if it tears any of them in the process it turns the sewing machine until mother sews them up.

Henry Ford is one of the world's greatest washerwomen too. The number of laundresses who call for the clothes in an automobile is growing each month by leaps and bounds.

The modern hired girl does not ask "How many in the family please?" She asks "Have you a washing machine that will turn on with a switch?" And now days the young man who pulls an diamond ring from his pocket and asks a young lady to trudge with him through life is giving way to the future husband who pulls the ground plan of a downstairs laundry on his trail. Young sweetheart and asks her if she thinks she loves him enough to hang out the clothes if the local electric light trust or water company will do the rest.

One reason why woman is demanding the vote with more and more fury is because she isn't so extinct on Tuesdays as she used to be when wash day was a gymnasium with turkish bath attachments.

Hardware Bargains

HARDWARE SPECIALTIES

Do you know that the Union Supply Company have a well stocked hardware-department in every one of their stores? We keep full lines of builders' hardware, consisting of all sorts of locks, bolts, hinges, screws, window fastenings, etc. We have complete lines of stoves and ranges; washing machines; carpet sweepers; etc. A great variety of mixed paints; varnishes, stains, etc. We have complete lines of carpenters' tools; complete stocks of spikes and nails; all sizes. We have blacksmiths tools; painters tools and a great line of garden tools consisting of rakes, spades, hoes, shovels, and all other garden utensils. Lawn mowers; wheel barrows; everything you can think of. There are complete lines of table cutlery; all sorts of small hardware for household and other uses. Then we have full and complete lines of laborers' tools; picks; shovels; mattocks; coke forks; hammers; trowels for brick layers. The stocks are always full and complete lines. The prices are very reasonable. We make this department a specialty; we always have a big demand, and it will be to your interest to patronize a Union Supply Company hardware department.

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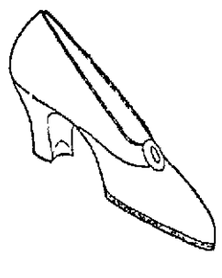

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Moose Home Was Crowded With Friends and Members, and Excellent Program Was Gone Through With; Sunday Drew the Crowds.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, May 3.—Scottdale Lodge No. 191, Loyal Order of Moose, held their memorial services in their lodge rooms, on Broadway and Grant avenue at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. These exercises were open to the public and there was a large attendance of men, women and children, members and friends of the order, which numbers about 500 in this lodge. The big hall in the second floor of the lodge home was the scene of the gathering in memoriam of these departed brothers: Joseph Gromosky, who died August 25, 1914, and G. A. Barrett, who died October 2, 1914, and these other brothers who died before that time: John Edward Brookman, J. C. Murphy, Thomas Quinn, Olaf Berlin, McAlter Tarr, Robert Hill and Philip Kromer.

The program embraced the following: Opening overture by the Barkell Orchestra, prayer, Rev. W. M. Bracken of Smithfield, followed by Dictator Bert Butler. The audience then arose and joined in singing "Nearer, My God to Thee," and this was followed by a violin solo by Prof. J. H. Gambles of Mount Pleasant, "Going Down the Valley, One by One" was sung by the quartet, and the calling of the roll was by the secretary. The memorial sermon was then preached by Rev. Bracken. Former Congressman C. H. Gregg of Greensburg was present for a special address.

Robert B. Barkell sang a solo, and M. M. Garland of Pittsburg was next on the program for an address. Miss McLaughlin followed with a vocal solo. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Bracken and the Barkell Orchestra played the closing selection.

The committee in charge was made up of E. J. Stanton, A. C. Collins, O. H. Hough, J. W. Scott and Joe M. Keener.

The ushers were John Warrick, S. L. Greenawalt, P. L. Skinner, M. L. Brown, H. H. Lee, Scott Newcomer, C. M. Powley, William T. Massey, Bert Stoner and Otto Lind.

THEIR FIRST GAME.

The Scottdale Independent baseball team, just organized for the season, played their first game on Saturday afternoon, opening the season at Loucks Park, the visitors being the Independent's old rivals, the Star Junction team, which the locals did up by the score of 10 to 2.

SUNDAY CROWDS.

The crowds out in the country on Sunday were up to more than the usual quota in numbers and showed plainly that everyone has not yet bought an automobile or a motorcycle. To be sure there was a good plenty of the gas wagons and gas carts on the roads, and a good many of them were run in the customary Sunday way that gets a large death and accident list in the Monday morning papers. The country was very beautiful with the first blushes of spring, for the fruit blossoms made a brilliant landscape, which stretched far before the eyes, largely due to the many coke ovens out of blast, and mill stacks which are not putting curtains between the eye and the horizon. There had been a light frost in some places on Saturday night, but it had not done any harm. The lilacs were out in all their purple beauty and the violets were likewise attractive. The makeups of the crowds was widely divergent. Some seemed in the country to just enjoy its beauty. Some of the language used freely and loudly enough to be heard a quarter of a mile is enough to make one think that policemen or missionaries, or both, are needed here to preserve the outward appearance of civilization. Some of the crowds were bent upon physical destruction it appeared as well as linguistic violences, for they trampled down wheat and alfalfa fields, swung on wire fences until they broke the wires, broke down rail or board fences, and behaved generally in such a way as to prove nuisance and dangers. The farmers are considering another "iron clad" organization such as they had a couple of years ago when they had arrested any of the youth who put foot on their lands, and which in its natural dragnet caught some well behaved boys, who fell into bad company, and had to suffer on account of the hoodlums.

Several hundred people were abroad throughout the country districts surrounding Scottdale on Sunday, and most of them behaved in a way that made them welcome to the people, to whom none is more generous than the farmer with his land and scenery.

GIVE DEGREES.

A big crowd of the Knights of Columbus of this district, every surrounding town being represented, thronged town Sunday being here for the taking of the second and third degrees. Mass was said at St. John's the Baptist Church and luncheon was served by the local lodge. Besides that many visitors were at the hotels and restaurants and the guests of families. The affair lasted all day, special trains being run by the visiting clubs.

Sick Headache.

Mrs. A. L. Lucke, 47 Rochester, N. Y., was a victim of sick headache and despondency, caused by a badly weakened and debilitated condition of her stomach, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She says, "I find them pleasant to take, also mild and effective. In a few weeks' time I was restored to my former good health." For sale by all druggists.—Adv.

Hunting Bargains?

If so, read our advertising columns.

HOW SOLDIERS LIVE FIGHT IN THE TRENCHES

LONDON, May 3.—When it rains the trenches are half filled with water. The cold is always of the damp, penetrating, dreadful kind that chills to the very marrow. Hot food is served three times a day to the men in the trenches by other soldiers, who scurry like rabbits through long uncovered tunnels running back and the works concealing the guns.

These men in the trenches must have good food in order that they can have good blood, and if they have good blood, they have good courage, they keep warm because their circulation is good and their extremities are warm from exercise. Many men are invalided, however, because their blood and their stomach were not right to withstand the awful hardships of this winter campaign.

When you do not properly digest your food your blood becomes thin and every organ of the body soon feels the effect. The result is—headaches, sleeplessness, nervousness and many other symptoms—due to accumulation of poisons in the body. Unless the stomach is given aid at this stage—more serious illnesses follow. Now is the time to help your weakened stomach—now is the time to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery (in tablet or liquid form.) It has the same power to set you right as it has been proven to have in thousands of other cases. It will help your stomach so that the food you eat will nourish and sustain you and make good reviving blood. It will enable you to get rid of the waste a sluggish liver and irregular bowels have permitted to accumulate in your system.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is composed of known native healing remedial roots and herbs with no alcohol nor narcotic drugs to give you harmful habits. It can now be obtained in tablet or liquid form from dealers, or send 50 stamps for box of tablets.

Address: Dr. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, May 3.—Mrs. Judson Wolfe was shopping and calling on Connellsville friends Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Hayes returned to Humbert Saturday, after a few days spent here.

Mrs. Charles Anderson of Rochester, spent Saturday calling on friends here.

A. M. Johnson of Rochester, was a business caller here Saturday.

Miss Laura King returned to this place Saturday, after a two weeks' visit in Markleton.

Mrs. W. E. Green and two children of Connellsville, are the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Harry Marietta.

Mrs. Clara Dull arrived here Saturday from Connellsville.

Miss Nancy Linderman returned to her home in Victoria Saturday, after finishing teaching an eight months term of school in Birwonsville.

Normal Hall was a Connellsville caller Saturday.

William and David Marietta of Stewarton, were among the callers here Saturday.

John Hochstetler of Mount Braddock, spent Sunday the guest of friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins and daughter, Thelma, of Connellsville, are making a short visit here.

Mrs. Lewis Shumaker and daughter Leona, of Pittsburg, arrived here on Sunday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dillinger and son returned to their home in Somerset, after a week's visit near here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bailey.

Harry Leonard of Uniontown, was a caller here Sunday.

R. C. Bailey of Humbert, is here for a short visit.

The temperance lecture given in the Baptist Church yesterday by Rev. Rockwell of Pittsburg was largely attended.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, May 3.—Grant Pyle has returned from a visit with friends at Connellsville.

L. S. Lincoln of Uniontown, was a business visitor here Saturday.

J. L. Belber of Johnson's Chapel, was a business visitor in town Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Bickard of Newport, O., arrived here Friday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. L. W. LePage.

Rev. L. W. LePage, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, has returned from a visit with his mother at Cambridge, O.

Alex Thomas has returned from a visit with friends at Cumberland, Md.

Virgil R. Saylor of Somerset, was here Friday night and delivered the class address to the graduating class of the high school.

Mrs. Earl Muller and two children have returned to their home in Fairmont, W. Va., after visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Parnell for several weeks.

Mrs. Luther Show and daughter Edith, were shopping in Connellsville Saturday.

Miss Florence Cummings of Uniontown, is visiting relatives here.

DICKERSON RUN.

DICKERSON RUN, May 3.—Harry Lint of Dawson, was a business caller here Friday evening.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cassel on Friday. Both mother and child are doing fine.

William Johnson of West Side, Connellsville, was a business caller here on Friday.

J. S. Laughrey of North Dawson, was a business caller here on Friday.

Miss Edna Smith of Dawson, was shopping in Pittsburg yesterday.

Mrs. J. C. Jacobs was shopping in Connellsville Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Somers of Alberta, Canada, and Mrs. Regis Evans of Pittsburg are spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. George McGibboney.

Mrs. Charles Dunlap and baby have returned home after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Lint at Connellsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sleeman have returned to their home at Pittsburg after a visit here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. H. Harper and son were in Connellsville yesterday.

Mrs. J. A. Hagerman of Beaver Rev. H. A. Baum of Dawson was calling on friends here last evening.

Senator O'Gorman Deaf to Suffragists' Plea for Votes.

UPPER—Left to Right: MRS. COLT, SENATOR O'GORMAN and MRS. BOISSEVAIN. LOWER—CROWD OUTSIDE SENATOR O'GORMAN'S WALL STREET OFFICE.

Falls is spending a few days here with her sister, Mrs. J. P. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beatty spent Sunday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beatty.

James Sherbondy of Dawson was transacting business here Saturday.

Mrs. Robert Knight of Dawson was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Byers, Saturday.

Mrs. George McGibbony and daughter and Miss Martha Latlon were shoppers in Connellsville Saturday.

Jack Davis of Dearth spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. George Beatty, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Mickey were calling on Connellsville friends Saturday evening.

Mrs. James Beatty and son are spending a few days visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Anna Moran at Scottdale.

The Midway Theatre opened to a large crowd Saturday night after being closed all winter. The Midway will be open every night.

Ollie Ogleves of Pittsburg spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Ogleves.

Earl Lint of McKees Rocks spent Sunday here visiting relatives.

Miss Mayme Addis was the guest of Scottdale friends Sunday.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, May 3.—Hugh Fare of Kelster visited Sunday at his home near Mahoning.

Go to D. C. Eason for wall paper. —Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Bellstein and children of Speers Hill visited friends in Connellsville Sunday.

James Jacobs of McKeesport spent Sunday the guest of his brother, William Jacobs of this place.

Percy McGibbons of Uniontown was the guest of Harry McGibsons Sunday.

Miss Bessie McCullough of Uniontown visited friends here Saturday.

Mrs. William Reynolds and daughter, Margaret, and Mrs. William Smith of Uniontown visited at the home of their sister, Mrs. William Foltz of Woodvale street.

Miss Marjorie Combs of Akron, O., was renewing old acquaintances here Saturday.

Miss Bessie Montgomery of Fayette City visited friends here yesterday.

Miss Martha Grier and Miss Mabel Kimball visited in Connellsville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDowell and children visited at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth McDowell.

David Grier returned to Rice's Landing after spending Sunday with his family on Railroad street.

Rev. Father C. J. Poetz leaves this week for Freeport, having been appointed by Rt. Rev. Regis Canevin. Rev. Peter Brennan of Pittsburg will come here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Byers of Uniontown spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wagner.

Charles Parker of Uniontown visited relatives here Sunday.

Elmer Hawkes of Fayette City spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs James Hawkes of near Fayette.

Miss Rosella Huber of Youngwood is spending a few days the guest of Mrs. Ella Hamilton.

A. Hirst and son were business callers in Uniontown Saturday.

William Minerd and Chalmer Bryson of Uniontown spent Sunday at their home here.

Walter Stroud and wife of Morgantown, W. Va., are the guests of Mrs. Emma Duncan.

Miss Margaret Wishart of Connellsville was the guest of Miss Elma Grochen.

J. Detlolt of Connellsville visited his grandmother, Mrs. Margaret McDowell.

Joseph Crossland of Connellsville, while trying to board a West Penn car while moving, was thrown against a pile of logs and hurt. Crossland was taken to the office of Dr. S. C. Bonds where his injuries were dressed.

ORDERS FROM ABROAD.

Textiles Being Ordered from Abroad; Tables Turned in Favor of American Make.

It is said that the old countries, that have furnished textiles for our country in the past, are now forced to order woolens from the United States. This condition favors American mills and gives our working people more employment. Everybody who shares in the new prosperity should plan for any possible emergency in the future.

Open a savings account with the Citizens National Bank, 138 Pittsburg street.—Adv.

PERRYOPOLIS.

PERRYOPOLIS, May 3.—The junior class of Perry township high school entertained for the class of 1915 in the high school auditorium on Saturday evening, May 1. The room was decorated with spring flowers and the senior colors, orange and white. Mrs. J. B. Snyder and Misses Ethel Younkins and Mary Carson contributed several musical numbers to the program. Miss Nina Carson welcomed the guests and Herman Duff responded for his class. Principal H. V. Snyder gave a short address. The committee in charge was composed of Misses Nina Carson, Anna Duff, Fern Carson and Florence Hamilton.

Miss Louise Hough of Hunker, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Porter Pore.

Harry Crawford of Swissvale, was an over Sunday guest of town friends.

Howard O. Markle of Connellsville, was a caller in town yesterday.

Miss Mary Carson of Layton, visited relatives in town on Sunday.

Prof. Alva Chalfant of Brownsville, spent yesterday with friends in town.

Mrs. Edward Hough of Banning, was the guest yesterday of her mother, Mrs. F. L. Dixenbaugh.

Mrs. Clarence Patterson of Pittsburg, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Martin.

David Budd of Dickerson Run, was a caller in town yesterday.

Edith Edwards, Edgar Weimer, Mae Dixenbaugh, Neise Cope, Alice Stilly and Steward Brown spent Sunday in Bellevernon.

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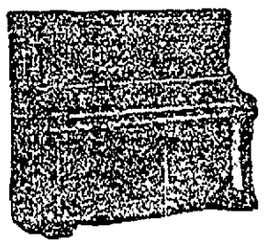

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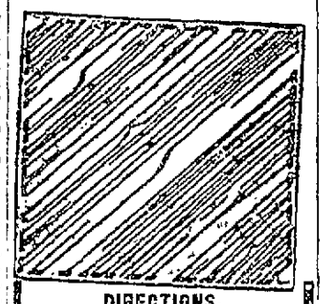

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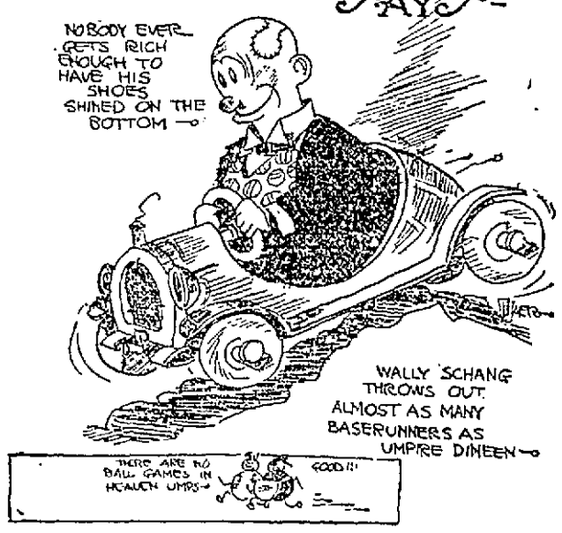

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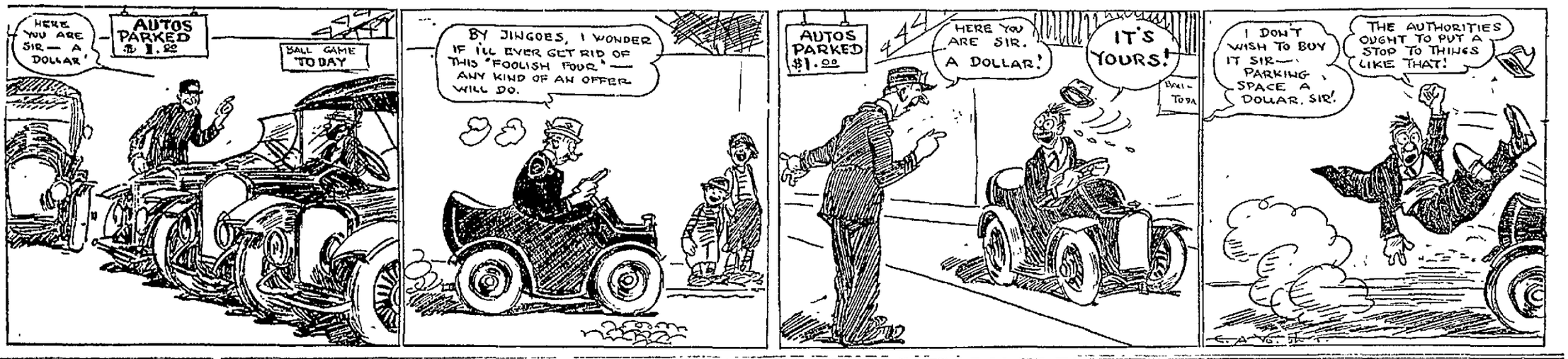

LACK OF PUBLIC DEFENDER SENDS MANY INNOCENT PERSONS TO JAIL

Rights of Men and Women Falsely Accused Are Not Protected Sufficiently in Present System.

Merits of Suggested Changes Explained at Length by Legal Practitioner of New York City.

THE proposition that the state should provide for the creation of a public official to be known as a "public defender," which official should be a sworn officer whose duty it should be to defend persons accused of crime when such persons are financially unable to retain proper and competent counsel in their behalf, contemplates a radical departure in our system of criminal procedure and an additional safeguard to the rights and liberties of persons who may innocently fall into the meshes of the criminal law, says Mayer C. Goldman of the New York bar in Case and Comment.

There are those who believe that under our present method applicable to the trial of criminal causes those accused of crime are already too carefully protected by various legal presumptions and technicalities, and they believe that the administration of the criminal law in our courts is highly unsatisfactory, unnecessarily expensive and unduly protracted.

Truth Is First Consideration.

I assume that the majority of right thinking men and women believe that the ascertainment of the truth is the cardinal consideration in the trial of a case, whether civil or criminal, and that in a criminal case, where the life or the liberty of a defendant is involved, any and all legitimate means which can be devised to bring out the truth in the particular case under consideration should be resorted to to accomplish that end.

The prosecuting attorney is a public officer, because he represents the sovereign power of the state, by whose authority, and in whose name, under the constitution, all prosecutions must be conducted. He is a part of the machinery of justice, although by the very nature of his official position he is bound to be, what the title of his office implies, a prosecuting officer and more or less a partisan. It is a matter of common experience among those who have had occasion to observe the atmosphere of criminal trials, that the prosecutor is often carried away by his excessive zeal to obtain a conviction.

A defendant in a criminal trial should not only have the right to be defended by counsel, but he should have the right to be defended by counsel as able, as dignified, as respected, as independent and with the same prestige of the state behind him, to unearth and ferret out evidence and to produce witnesses in his favor, as the district attorney has with the machinery of his powerful office.

Disadvantages of the Poor.

It is an indisputable fact that while a defendant of financial means can and does employ high class and expensive counsel to defend him, the poor and ignorant defendant, without means or intelligence and perhaps a stranger to our laws and customs, is compelled to wage an unequal contest against the great forces of the state arrayed against him. It is true that the courts do appoint lawyers to defend persons charged with crime, without compensation, and that on rare occasions distinguished counsel is appointed to defend a prisoner, but such assignments as a general rule go to young and inexperienced attorneys, or very often to the criminal practitioner who happens to be in the court at the time, and who, as a rule, is not very keen about accepting such uncompensated assignments. For some years past there has been a law in New York by which counsel assigned to defend persons charged with homicide are entitled to receive a compensation of $500 for the defense of such a case, but that sum is frequently inadequate.

The fact that to send an innocent person to death in penalty for a murder which he did not commit is a very tragic and terrible matter does not detract the seriousness of the fact of sending another man to prison for even a brief period on conviction for a misdemeanor crime which he did not commit. It is not fair to the lawyer or to the prisoner that the former should be required to devote his time, skill and best efforts to a defense without receiving fair compensation.

Benefits of Public Defender Plan.

I contend that, with a public defender charged with the duty of defending people accused of crime, the following benefits, among others, would accrue:

First.—That the rights of defendants in criminal cases would be better preserved.

Second.—That their cases would be more honestly and ably presented.

Third.—That there would be fewer unscrupulous and perjured defenses.

Fourth.—That our prisoners, poor or rich, would be placed upon a true equality before the law.

Fifth.—That the truth in any trial could be more satisfactorily established.

Sixth.—That there would be less opportunity for disreputable attorneys to obtain delays in the trial of cases, in order to extract fees from an unfortunate defendant or from his relatives or friends.

Seventh.—That the trials in criminal cases would be expedited.

Eighth.—That there would be fewer pleas of "guilty" by prisoners at the instigation of attorneys who do not care to be burdened with trials in cases where they receive no fee.

Ninth.—And that the tone of the criminal bar and of the criminal courts would be uplifted.

Details of the System.

My recommendation would be that the public defender be an elected officer; that his compensation should be large enough to make it possible to secure the services of a competent, high class lawyer, with such staff of assistants as might be necessary to properly conduct such office; that he should have the right to employ detectives and investigators to aid in the ascertainment of the truth in cases wherein he is actively interested. He should be as powerful as the prosecuting attorney, and in certain cases and under certain limitations he ought to be permitted to go before the grand jury, while a proceeding is pending before that body, and, being a sworn representative of the people, he should receive the same consideration from that body as the district attorney. There may be valid objections to this last suggestion. I, myself, am not certain that I should insist upon it.

Indictments are too freely and too easily found, thereby casting a stain upon a man's character and reputation that no subsequent acquittal can ever offset. A public defender could in certain cases, affect much economy to the state, through a saving of the expense of unnecessary trials upon reckless, unfounded or faulty indictments.

The suggestion as to a public defender is not entirely novel, nor is it a vague theory, without practical support in its favor. It has been favorably discussed and advocated from time to time in numerous influential newspapers, in magazine articles and in public addresses.

Many judges, district attorneys, law reformers, distinguished lawyers and public spirited citizens favor the idea. A bill creating the office of public defender has been prepared by the writer to be submitted to the New York legislature of 1915.

Los Angeles Likes Plan.

There is now a public defender in the city of Los Angeles, created by a recent provision of the county charter. The favorable comments of six Los Angeles judges, of the district attorney of Los Angeles and of the Los Angeles press are eloquent tributes to the efficacy and necessity of a public defender.

It has been urged by some who are opposed to this idea that the district attorney and public defender might clash in their respective duties. The answer to this objection is that in Los Angeles, according to the statement of the public defender there, both officials "are working harmoniously." It is apparent that the law does not ask the district attorney to convict an innocent person, nor does it ask the public defender to acquit a guilty person. Both can present their respective sides in the most intelligent and fair manner. It is then a question for the jury and the court to decide.

Judge Willis of the superior court of Los Angeles recently stated that "it (the public defender's office) has been a great saving to the county in the matter of expense," and he also stated, "I am well satisfied with the efficiency of the office and of the necessity for its continuance as a matter of economy and justice."

Defend as Well as Prosecute.

It has frequently been urged that it would be an anomalous situation that the state, which pays a prosecutor to run down and punish crime, should also pay another official to defend persons charged with crime. If we assume that the accused is innocent until he is proved guilty the due administration of justice necessarily requires that as much effort be exerted by the people to defend as to prosecute the accused.

While it is true that the presumption of innocence attaches to the accused, that he must be indicted by a grand jury and tried by a petit jury, there can be no question but that this presumption is often swept away entirely by reason of the prejudicial atmosphere created prior to and during the trial. The fact is that civilization as a whole runs to the prosecution of the accused man with the enthusiasm of a pack of hounds in full cry after a fleeing rabbit.

All of us frequently read and hear of innocent persons who are actually serving sentences in state prisons. The saving of one human life, the triumph of innocence, in the case of a single individual, the elevation of our standard of justice, through the medium of a public defender, would alone justify the creation of such office or the expense of administering it.

IS POOR, LONELY RICH DOG.

Buster, World's Wealthiest Spaniel, Whines For Master.

Buster Scouten, a cocker spaniel, known as the wealthiest dog in the world because he has the income of $34,000 in 4½ per cent bonds, is lonesome. Buster's bonds are held in trust by Thaddeus B. Scouten, chief messenger to the Illinois senate, who is now at Springfield, and Buster is left at home in Chicago.

The bonds were left by the messenger's mother, Mrs. Marian Gilbert Scouten of Bellingham, Wash. Buster has lived on pork chops, grape fruit and cake, his favorite fare, since her death.

CURFEW FOR PHILADELPHIA.

No Children Under Fifteen to Be Out After 11 P. M.

A curfew for children under fifteen is to be established in Philadelphia, George D. Porter, director of public safety, has announced. Children found in the streets after 11 p. m. will be kept in the house of detention overnight, and parents will be called upon to explain the reason for the youngsters being out.

"Most of our crime," said Mr. Porter, "may be attributed to young men and women, and we are going to try to set the juvenile straight before he reaches the age of fifteen."

The Weight of Crowds.

In the building of theater galleries and grand stands the supporting strength of the structure has to be carefully worked out. This is done by multiplying the area in square feet by the pressure which it is estimated a crowd exerts per square foot and making the supports proportionately strong. At one time the weight of a crowd was determined at between 32 and 102 pounds per square foot, but experiments have shown this to be a great underestimation and that the weight exerted is now calculated at from 123 to 133 pounds.—Exchange.

One Is Enough.

"Before she married him, you know, she used to say there wasn't another man like him in the world."

"Yes, and now she says she'd hate to think that there was."

Had an Aim All Right.

Cole—I like to see a woman with an aim in life. Now, has your wife any aim? Wood—Rather! Look where she hit me with a plate!—Chicago News.

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MARCUS RAUH.

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Why Teeth Chatter.

Although the muscles which affect the action of the jaws are especially under the control of the brain, the chattering of the teeth is really a spasm caused by chill or fear, and all spasms act independent of the will. The muscles which operate the jaw act in a series of involuntary little contractions which pull the jaw up and permit it to fall of its own weight. This action is quick, and the chattering occurs from frequent repetition. The cold has a similar effect upon the jaw muscles to that which some poisons have in causing spasmodic action in other parts of the body.

He Was Unanimously Elected.

When the term of the old negro preacher had expired he arose and said: "Breddren, de time am hoah fo' de delection oh yo' pastoh for anudder yeah. All dose faborin' me fo' yo' pastoh will please say 'Aye!'"

The old preacher had made himself rather unpopular, and there was no response.

"Huh!" he said. "Silence gibs consent allus. I'se yo' pastoh fo' anudder yeah."—Exchange.

Old Divorce Cure.

In old Holland when a couple applied for a divorce they were locked up in a one room, frying out cabin with one dish and one spoon. If after a month they had not come to an agreement they got the writ, which was seldom asked for after this treatment.

Natural Result.

"Mamma," said small Elmer, "let's go in the back yard and play football."

"I can't play the game, dear," answered the mother.

"Huh!" exclaimed Elmer scornfully. "That is what comes of having a woman for a mother."—Chicago News.

Sympathy Needed.

"Jiggs' wife speaks ten languages."

"I move we adopt resolutions of sympathy and send them to Jiggs."—Buffalo Express.

Good Form

What Gifts to Accept.

Among the many questions where the usages of social life we call etiquette are called upon to define lines either strictly or only with slight restrictions the one concerning the acceptance of expensive gifts from men friends to girls and women friends is often discussed.

It has come about in some way that to accept things that are very costly shows lack of personal pride. A woman who does is apt to find herself placed under obligations. This is something no delicate minded woman is willing to do. She does not like the idea that a man has been given cause to think himself entitled to more consideration on account of handsome gifts made to her. So she very properly returns any such that may strike her sense of propriety as of too great value, as far as price is concerned, for her to use in any way.

But unfortunately there are many girls and maturer women who gayly declare they will "take anything" they can get from men friends and acquaintances. The argument is very feminine "He will spend that money on somebody. Why not on me?" is the way they put it. But when pay day comes and such women find that it is presumed they feel obliged or are under obligations to the giver they repudiate and still, strange to say, they keep the gifts, no matter what they are.

This is a very serious breach in the laws of social usage. Etiquette strictly demands, first, that such gifts should not be received at all, and if for some reason it appears better to accept than to "make a fuss about it" they should be returned as soon as possible, with the most friendly assurance that a simpler expression of good will will be far more acceptable and still more appreciated.

A man is justified in presenting a hostess who has been delightfully hospitable with something very handsome for her house, never for her personal wearing. But the accepted and correct gifts from men who know to their women friends are flowers, books, music or bonbons. These may be in fancy jeweled holders, but even that is not in perfect taste.

Good Manners at Home.

Take your good manners home with you. You cannot afford to be negligent of or rude to the people with whom you live every day. Unfailing courtesy in the family circle is the best possible investment to secure peace and harmony.

Etiquette differs in its outward manifestations in different countries and among people of different walks of life. In Europe the stranger makes the first call. In England and this country the resident makes the first call. In Europe the man lifts his hat to the woman before she bows to him. In this country and in England the woman bows first. The habit of using the knife as we use the fork is not utterly unknown among foreigners, while with us it is considered bad form. But it was not always so regarded here. You still see in out of the way places the old fashioned knife with the curiously enlarged and rounded end, so made to facilitate the eating of peas.

Some continentals do not consider it out of the way to use toothpicks at the table. They sometimes have chic little jeweled weapons to use in this way. Even a diamond trimmed toothpick would hardly make the custom acceptable in this country. But then some of our customs and manners probably shock foreigners quite as much.

But, though it has many different rules and forms, the underlying motive of etiquette is pretty much the same everywhere. Its effort is to embellish, dignify and make attractive human social intercourse; also to simplify it and make it easy without removing those restrictions which make the difference between civilization and savagery. Therefore do not put too much weight on the small signs of etiquette, but never let go the large ideal of it.

Use of Cards.

If a double card is used with Mr. and Mrs. engraved on it when calling on a married woman leave just one. In making a first call on a married couple, however, the wife leaves her own card and two of her husband's, keeping the combination card for use in subsequent calls. An engagement announcement should be acknowledged. Send a card with or without a polite acknowledgment and greeting in a few words, such as "Congratulations and good wishes." In making an evening call a man waits until the maid tells him he will be received, when he removes his hat, coat and gloves in the hall before being ushered into the reception room.

For a Simple Wedding.

If the bride wears a street costume she should also wear a hat and coat to complete it. Some fashionable and smart brides dress this way for their weddings, especially if either the bride or bridegroom has been married before or if neither is in the first youth. As to colors, light gray or tan is preferable to darker colors for a wedding suit. No attendant is customary at such a wedding, which is supposed to be a quiet, simple affair.

When Tissot Was Satisfied.

A charming story is told of Tissot, the great French painter. While in England on one occasion he painted a beautiful religious picture and, meeting a woman from Paris, asked her opinion of his work. Characterizing it as a work of real art, she gave a remarkably just and detailed appreciation of the various merits of the painting.

"Are you satisfied?" asked a friend. The artist answered in the negative. He entirely repainted his picture, working night and day. When it was finished he sent for his fair critic, who pronounced it admirable, and then she remained silently admiring it with smiling criticism.

"Are you satisfied?" once more asked the friend. "No," replied Tissot as he began work on the picture for the third time. When the lady saw the new painting she gazed at it for some moments with evident emotion and then, without a word, sank softly to her knees and began to pray.

"Are you satisfied now?" whispered the friend. "Yes," answered Tissot.

What the Diver Saw.

While serving on a naval vessel stationed at China an old time seaman had an uncanny experience. He says: "Our ship's company had been ashore for a route march, and on returning one of our officers in stepping on the ship's gangway let his sword fall overboard. Being a diver, I was sent down to try and recover it, but as I touched the bottom I saw the corpse of a lady dressed in light material gradually rise from her resting place of mud. She faced me as naturally as if she had been a living person. The disturbing of the water by my descending had no doubt moved the body. It was a sight—and also a fright—which I do not wish to experience again. The sword was eventually recovered by another diver, for I can assure you I made a record trip to the surface without seeking further." — London Globe.

A Smart Answer.

The following episode took place in a country village in the north of England. One morning as a schoolmaster was proclaiming to his school he saw a penny. He picked it up, he placed the penny in his pocket, and after the children had assembled in the school the schoolmaster said:

"Has any child lost any money?"

After a few moments a small boy in the front of the class put up his hand.

"Well, Robert, what do you want?" asked the master.

"Please, sir, I have lost a penny," replied the boy.

"And where did you lose your penny, Robert?" inquired the master.

"Please, sir, where you found it."

Robert got the penny amid the laughter of the master and the whole class. —Philadelphia Record.

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PENROD

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Herman shook his head. Evidently he thought Georgie's chance of being ordained very slender. Nevertheless a final question put to the candidate by the colored expert seemed to admit one ray of hope.

"He's too sissy to be a preacher!" cried Maurice.

"How good kin you climb a pole?"

"He can't climb one at all," Penrod answered for Georgie. "Over at Sam's turning pole you ought to see him try to"—

"Preachers don't have to climb poles," Georgie said with dignity.

"Good ones do," declared Herman. "Bes' one ev' I hear, he climb up an' down same as a circus man. One n'em big 'vivals outen whens we livin' on a fahm, preachuh climb big pole right in a middle o' the church, what was to ho' roof up. He climb way high up, an' holler, 'Goin' to heavum, goin' to heavum, goin' to heavum now. Hallelujah, praise my Lawd!'"

Herman possessed that extraordinary facility for vivid setting which is the great native gift of his race, and he enchained his listeners. They sat fascinated and spellbound.

"Herman, tell that again!" said Penrod, breathlessly.

Herman, nothing loath, accepted the encore and repeated the Miltonic episode, expanding it somewhat, and dwelling with a fine art upon those portions of the narrative which he perceived to be most exciting to his audience.

The effect was immense and instant. Penrod sprang to his feet.

"Georgie Bassett couldn't do that to save his life," he declared. "I'm goin' to be a preacher! I'd be all right for one, wouldn't I, Herman?"

"So am I!" Sam Williams echoed loudly. "I guess I can do it if you can. I'd be bette'n Penrod, wouldn't I, Herman?"

"I am, too!" Maurice shouted. "I got a stronger voice than anybody here, and I'd like to know what"—

The three clamored together indistinguishably, each asserting his qualifications for the ministry according to Herman's theory, which had been accepted by these sudden converts without question.

"Listen to me!" Maurice bellowed, proving his claim to at least the voice by drowning the others. "Maybe I can't climb a pole so good, but who can holler louder'n this? Listen to me-ee!"

"Shut up!" cried Penrod, irritated. "Go to heaven; go to ——!"

"Oo-oo-oh!" exclaimed Georgie Bassett, profoundly shocked.

Sam and Maurice, awed by Penrod's daring, ceased from turmoil, staring wide eyed.

"You cursed and swore!" said Georgie.

"I did not!" cried Penrod hotly. "That isn't swearing."

"You said, 'Go to a big H!'" said Georgie.

"I did not! I said, 'Go to heaven,' before I said a big H. That isn't swearing, is it, Herman? It's almost what the preacher said. Ain't it, Herman? It ain't swearing now any more—not if you put 'go to heaven' with it. Is it, Herman? You can say it all you want to, long as you say 'go to heaven' first. Can't you, Herman? Anybody can say it if the preacher says it. Can't they, Herman? I guess I know when I ain't swearing. Don't I, Herman?"

Judge Herman ruled for the defendant, and Penrod was considered to have carried his point. With fine consistency the conclave established that it was proper for the general public to "say it" provided "go to heaven" should in all cases precede it. This prefix was pronounced a perfect disinfectant, removing all odor of impiety or insult, and, with the exception of Georgie Bassett (who maintained that the minister's words were "going" and "gone," not "go"), all the boys proceeded to exercise their new privilege so lavishly that they tired of it.

But there was no diminution of evangelical ardor. Again were heard the clamors of dispute as to which was the best qualified for the ministry, each of the claimants appealing passionately to Herman, who, pleased, but confused, appeared to be incapable of arriving at a decision.

During a pause Georgie Bassett asserted his prior rights. "Who said it first, I'd like to know?" he demanded. "I was going to be a minister from long back of today, I guess. And I guess I said I was going to be a minister right today before any of you said anything at all. Didn't I, Herman? You heard me. Didn't you, Herman? That's the very thing started you talking about it. Wasn't it, Herman?"

"You' right," said Herman. "You the first one to say it."

Penrod, Sam and Maurice immediately lost faith in Herman. They turned from him and fell hotly upon Georgie.

"What if you did say it first?" Penrod shouted. "You couldn't be a minister if you were a hundred years old!"

"I bet his mother wouldn't let him be one," said Sam. "She never lets him do anything."

"She would too," retorted Georgie. "Ever since I was little she"—

"He's too sissy to be a preacher!" cried Maurice. "Listen at his squeaky voice!"

"I'm going to be a better minister," shouted Georgie, "than all three of you put together. I could do it with my left hand!"

CHAPTER XX.

Conclusion of the Quiet Afternoon.

THE three laughed bitingly in chorus. They jeered, derided, scoffed and raised an uproar which would have had its effect upon much stronger nerves than Georgie's. For a time he contained his rising choler and chanted monotonously over and over: "I could! I could too! I could! I could too!" But their tumult wore upon him, and he decided to await himself of the recent decision whereby a big H was rendered innocuous and unprofane. Having used the expression once, he found it comforting and substituted it for "I could! I could too!"

But it relieved him only temporarily. His tormentors were unaffected by it and increased their howlings until at last Georgie lost his head altogether. Budgered beyond bearing, his eyes shining with a wild light, he broke through the besieging trio, hurling little Maurice from his path with a frantic hand.

"I'll show you!" he cried in this sudden frenzy. "You give me a chance, and I'll prove it right now!"

"That's talkin' business!" shouted Penrod. "Everybody keep still a minute—everybody!"

He took command of the situation at once, displaying a fine capacity for organization and system. It needed only a few minutes to set order in the place of confusion and to determine, with the full concurrence of all parties, the conditions under which Georgie Bassett was to defend his claim by undergoing what may be perhaps intelligibly defined as the Herman test. Georgie declared he could do it easily. He was in a state of great excitement and in no condition to think calmly or probably he would not have made the attempt at all. Certainly he was overconfident.

It was during the discussion of the details of this enterprise that Georgie's mother a short distance down the street received a few female callers, who came by appointment to drink a glass of iced tea with her and to meet the Rev. Mr. Kinosling. Mr. Kinosling was proving almost formidably interesting to the women and girls of his own and other flocks. What favor of his fellow clergymen a slight preciousness of manner and pronunciation cost him was more than balanced by the visible ecstasies of ladies. They blossomed at his touch.

He had just entered Mrs. Bassett's front door when the son of the house, followed by an intent and earnest company of four, opened the alley gate and came into the yard. The unconscious Mrs. Bassett was about to have her first experience of a fatal coincidence. It was her first, because she was the mother of a boy so well behaved that he had become a proverb of transcendency. Fatal coincidences were plentiful in the Schofield and Williams families and would have been familiar to Mrs. Bassett had Georgie been permitted greater intimacy with Penrod and Sam.

Mr. Kinosling sipped his iced tea and looked about him approvingly. Seven ladies leaned forward, for it was to be seen that he was to speak.

"This cool room is a relief," he said, waving a graceful hand in a neatly limited gesture, which everybody's eyes followed, his own included. "It is a relief and a retreat. The windows open, the blinds closed—that is as it should be. It is a retreat, a fastness, a bastion against the heat's assault. For me a quiet room—a quiet room and a book, a volume in the hand, held lightly between the fingers—a volume of poems, lines metrical and cadenced, something by a sound Victorian. We have no later poets."

"Swinburne?" suggested Miss Beam, an eager spinster. "Swinburne, Mr. Kinosling? Ah, Swinburne!"

"Not Swinburne," said Mr. Kinosling chastely. "No."

That concluded all the remarks about Swinburne.

Miss Beam retired in confusion behind another lady, and somehow there became diffused an impression that Miss Beam was erotic.

"I do not observe your manly little son," Mr. Kinosling addressed his hostess.

"He's out playing in the yard," Mrs. Bassett returned. "I heard his voice just now, I think."

"Everywhere I hear wonderful reports of him," said Mr. Kinosling. "I may say that I understand boys, and I feel that he is a rare, a fine, a pure, a lofty spirit. I say spirit, for spirit is the word I hear spoken of him."

A chorus of enthusiastic approbation affirmed the accuracy of this proclamation, and Mrs. Bassett flushed with pleasure. Georgie's spiritual perfection was demonstrated by instances of it related by the visitors. His piety was cited, and wonderful things he had said were quoted.

"Not all boys are pure, of fine spirit, of high mind," said Mr. Kinosling, and continued with true feeling: "You have a neighbor, dear Mrs. Bassett, whose household I indeed really feel it quite impossible to visit until such time when better, firmer, stronger handed, more determined discipline shall prevail. I find Mr. and Mrs. Schofield and their daughter charming, but"—

Three or four ladies said "Oh!" and spoke a name simultaneously. It was as if they had said, "Oh, the bubonic plague!"

"Oh! Penrod Schofield!"

"Georgie does not play with him," said Mrs. Bassett quickly—"that is, he avoids him as much as he can without hurting Penrod's feelings. Georgie is very sensitive to giving pain. I suppose a mother should not tell these things, and I know people who talk about their own children are dreadful bores, but it was only last Thursday night that Georgie looked up in my face so sweetly after he had said his prayers, and his little cheeks flushed as he said: "Mamma, I think it would be right for me to go more with Penrod. I think it would make him a better boy."

A sibilance went about the room. "Sweet! How sweet! The sweet little soul. Ah, sweet!"

"And that very afternoon," continued Mrs. Bassett, "he had come home in a dreadful state. Penrod had thrown tar all over him."

"Your son has a forgiving spirit," said Mr. Kinosling, with vehemence: "a too forgiving spirit perhaps." He set down his glass. "No more, I thank you. No more cake, I thank you. Was it not Cardinal Newman who said"—

He was interrupted by the sounds of an altercation just outside the closed blinds of the window nearest him.

"Let him pick his tree." It was the voice of Samuel Williams. "Didn't we come over here to give him one of his own trees? Give him a fair show, can't you?"

"The little lads!" Mr. Kinosling smiled. "They have their games, their outdoor sports, their pastimes. The young muscles are toughening. The sun will not harm them. They grow, they expand, they learn. They learn fair play, honor, courtesy, from one another as pebbles grow round in the brook. They learn more from themselves than from us. They take shape, form, outline. Let them."

"Mr. Kinosling!" Another spinster—undeterred by what had happened to Miss Beam—leaned far forward, her face shining and ardent. "Mr. Kinosling, there's a question I do wish to ask you."

"My dear Miss Cosslit," Mr. Kinosling responded, again waving his hand and watching it, "I am entirely at your disposal."

"Was Joan of Arc," she asked fervently, "inspired by spirits?"

He smiled indulgently. "Yes—and no," he said. "One must give both answers. One must give the answer, yes; one must give the answer, no."

"Oh, thank you!" said Miss Cosslit, blushing. "She's one of my great enthusiasms, you know."

"And I have a question, too," urged Mrs. Lora Rowbush after a moment's hasty concentration. "I've never been able to settle it for myself, but now"—

"Yes?" said Mr. Kinosling encouragingly.

"Is—ah—is—oh, yes—is Sanskrit a more difficult language than Spanish, Mr. Kinosling?"

"It depends upon the student," replied the oracle, smiling. "One must not look for linguists everywhere. In my own especial case—if one may cite oneself as an example—I found no great, no insurmountable difficulty in mastering, in conquering either."

"And may I ask one?" ventured Mrs. Bassett. "Do you think it is right to wear egrets?"

"There are marks of quality, of caste, of social distinction," Mr. Kinosling began, "which must be permitted, allowed, though perhaps regulated. Social distinction, one observes, almost invariably implies spiritual distinction as well. Distinction of circumstances is accompanied by mental distinction. Distinction is hereditary. It descends from father to son, and if there is one thing more true than 'like father, like son,' it is"—he bowed gallantly to Mrs. Bassett—"it is 'like mother, like son.' What these good ladies have said this afternoon of your"—

This was the fatal instant. There smote upon all ears the voice of Georgie, painfully shrill and penetrating, fraught with protest and protracted strain. His plain words consisted of the newly sanctioned and disinfected curse with a big H.

With an ejaculation of horror Mrs. Bassett sprang to the window and threw open the blinds.

Georgie's back was disclosed to the view of the tea party. He was endeavoring to ascend a maple tree about twelve feet from the window. Embracing the trunk with arms and legs, he had managed to squirm to a point just above the heads of Penrod and Herman, who stood close by, watching him earnestly, Penrod being obviously in charge of the performance. Across the yard were Sam Williams and Maurice Levy, acting as a jury on the question of voice power, and it was to a complaint of theirs that Georgie had just replied.

"That's right, Georgie," said Penrod encouragingly. "They can too hear you. Let her go!"

"Going to heaven!" shrieked Georgie, squirming up another inch. "Going to heaven, heaven, heaven!"

His mother's frenzied attempts to attract his attention failed utterly. Georgie was using the full power of his lungs, deafening his own ears to all other sounds. Mrs. Bassett called in vain, while the tea party stood petrified in a cluster about the window.

"Going to heaven!" Georgie bellowed. "Going to heaven! Going to heaven, my Lord! Going to heaven, heaven, heaven!"

He tried to climb higher, but began to slip downward, his exertions causing damage to his apparel. A button flew into the air, and his knickerbockers and his waistband severed relations.

"Devil's got my coattails, sinners! Old devil's got my coattails!" he announced appropriately. Then he began to slide. He relaxed his clasp of the tree and slid to the ground.

"Going to ——!" shrieked Georgie, reaching a high pitch of enthusiasm in this great climax.

With a loud scream Mrs. Bassett threw herself out of the window, alighting by some miracle upon her feet with ankles unsprained.

Mr. Kinosling, feeling that his presence as spiritual adviser was demanded in the yard, followed with greater dignity through the front door. At the corner of the house a small departing figure collided with him violently. It was Penrod, ineffully withdrawing from what promised to be a family scene of unusual painfulness.

Mr. Kinosling seized him by the shoulders and, giving way to emotion, shook him viciously.

"You horrible boy!" exclaimed Mr. Kinosling. "You ruffianly creature! Do you know what's going to happen to you when you grow up? Do you realize what you're going to be?"

With dashing eyes the indignant boy made known his unshaken purpose. He shouted the reply:

"A minister!"

CHAPTER XXI.

Twelve.

THIS busy globe which spawns us is as incapable of flattery and as intent upon its own affair, whatever that is, as a gyroscope. It keeps steadily whirling along its lawful track, and, thus far seeming to hold a right of way, spins doggedly on, with no perceptible diminution of speed to mark the most gigantic human events. It did not pause to pant and recuperate even when what seemed to Penrod its principal purpose was accomplished, and an enormous shadow, vanishing westward over its surface, marked the dawn of his twelfth birthday.

To be twelve is an attainment worth the struggle. A boy, just twelve, is like a Frenchman just elected to the academy.

Distinction and honor wait upon him. Younger boys show deference to a person of twelve. His experience is guaranteed, his judgment, therefore, mellow; consequently his influence is profound. Eleven is not quite satisfactory. It is only an approach. Eleven has the disadvantage of six, of nineteen, of forty-four and of sixty-nine. But, like twelve, seven is an honorable age, and the ambition to attain it is laudable. People look forward to being seven. Similarly, twenty is worthy, and so, arbitrarily, is twenty-one; forty-five has great solidity; seventy is most commendable and each year thereafter an increasing honor. Thirteen is embarrassed by the beginnings of a new childhood. The child becomes a youth. But twelve is the very top of boyhood.

Dressing that morning, Penrod felt that the world was changed from the world of yesterday. For one thing, he seemed to own more of it. This day was his day. And it was a day worth owning. The midsummer sunshine, pouring gold through his window, came from a cool sky, and a breeze moved pleasantly in his hair as he leaned from the sill to watch the tribe of chattering blackbirds take wing, following their leader from the trees in the yard to the day's work in the open country. The blackbirds were his, as the sunshine and the breeze were his, for they all belonged to the day which was his birthday and therefore most surely his. Pride suffused him. He was twelve!

His father and his mother and Margaret seemed to understand the difference between today and yesterday. They were at the table when he descended, and they gave him a greeting which of itself marked the milestone. Habitually his entrance into a room where his elders sat brought a cloud of apprehension. They were prone to look up in pathetic expectancy, as if their thought was, "What new awfulness is he going to start now?" But this morning they laughed. His mother rose and kissed him twelve times. So did Margaret. And his father shouted: "Well, well! How's the man?"

Then his mother gave him a Bible and "The Vicar of Wakefield." Margaret gave him a pair of silver mounted hairbrushes, and his father gave him a "Pocket Atlas" and a small compass.

"And now, Penrod," said his mother after breakfast, "I'm going to take you out in the country to pay your birthday respects to Aunt Sarah Crim."

Aunt Sarah Crim, Penrod's great-aunt, was his oldest living relative. She was ninety, and when Mrs. Schofield and Penrod alighted from a carriage at her gate they found her digging with a spade in the garden.

"I'm glad you brought him," she said, desisting from labor. "Jinny's baking a cake I'm going to send for his birthday party. Bring him in the house. I've got something for him."

She led the way to her "sitting room," which had a pleasant smell, unlike any other smell, and opening the drawer of a shining old whatnot took therefrom a boy's "slingshot," made of a forked stick, two strips of rubber and a bit of leather.

"This isn't for you," she said, placing it in Penrod's eager hand. "No. It would break all to pieces the first time you tried to shoot it because it is thirty-five years old. I want to send it back to your father. I think it's time. You give it to him from me and tell him I say I believe I can trust him with it now. I took it away from him thirty-five years ago, one day after he'd killed my best hen with it accidentally and broken a glass pitcher on the back porch with it—accidentally. He doesn't look like a person who's ever done things of that sort, and I suppose he's forgotten it so well that he believes he never did, but if you give it to him from me I think he'll remember. You look like him, Penrod. He was anything but a handsome boy."

After this final bit of reminiscence—probably designed to be repeated to Mr. Schofield—she disappeared in the direction of the kitchen and returned with a pitcher of lemonade and a blue china dish sweetly freighted with flat ginger cookies of a composition that was her own secret. Then, having set this collation before her guests, she presented Penrod with a superb, intricate and very modern machine of destructive capacities almost limitless. She called it a pocketknife.

"I suppose you'll do something horrible with it," she said composedly. "I hear you do that with everything, anyhow, so you might as well do it

"Penrod, aren't you the worst boy in town?"

with this and have more fun out of it. They tell me you're the worst boy in town."

"Oh, Aunt Sarah!" Mrs. Schofield lifted a protesting hand.

"Nonsense!" said Mrs. Crim.

"But on his birthday?"

"That's the time to say it. Penrod, aren't you the worst boy in town?"

Penrod, gazing fondly upon his knife and eating cookies rapidly, answered as a matter of course and absently, "Yes'm."

"Certainly!" said Mrs. Crim. "Once you accept a thing about yourself as established and settled it's all right. Nobody minds. Boys are just like people really."

"No, no!" Mrs. Schofield cried involuntarily.

"Yes, they are," returned Aunt Sarah. "Only they're not quite so awful, because they haven't learned to cover themselves all over with little pretences. When Penrod grows up he'll be just the same as he is now, except that whenever he does what he wants to do he'll tell himself and other people a little story about it to make his reason for doing it seem nice and pretty and noble."

"No, I won't!" said Penrod suddenly.

"There's one cookie left," observed Aunt Sarah. "Are you going to eat it?"

"Well," said her great-nephew thoughtfully, "I guess I better."

"Why?" asked the old lady. "Why do you guess you'd 'better?'"

"Well," said Penrod, with a full mouth, "it might get all dried up if nobody took it and get thrown out and wasted."

"You're beginning finely," Mrs. Crim remarked. "A year ago you'd have taken the cookie without the same sense of thrift."

"Ma'am?"

"Nothing. I see that you're twelve years old, that's all. There are more cookies, Penrod." She went away, returning with a fresh supply and the observation: "Of course you'll be sick before the day's over. You might as well get a good start."

Mrs. Schofield looked thoughtful. "Aunt Sarah," she ventured, "don't you really think we improve as we get older?"

"Meaning," said the old lady, "that Penrod hasn't much chance to escape the penitentiary if he doesn't? Well, we do learn to restrain ourselves in some things, and there are people who really want some one else to take the last cookie, though they aren't very common. But it's all right. The world seems to be getting on." She gazed whimsically upon her great-nephew and added, "Of course when you watch a boy and think about him it doesn't seem to be getting on very fast."

Penrod moved uneasily in his chair. He was conscious that he was her topic, but unable to make out whether or not her observations were complimentary. He inclined to think they were not. Mrs. Crim settled the question for him.

"I suppose Penrod is regarded as the neighborhood curse?"

"Oh, no!" cried Mrs. Schofield. "He"—

"I daresay the neighbors are right," continued the old lady placidly. "He's had to repeat the history of the race and go through all the stages from the primordial to barbarism. You don't expect boys to be civilized, do you?"

"Well, I"—

"You might as well expect eggs to crow. No; you've got to take boys as they are and learn to know them as they are."

"Naturally, Aunt Sarah," said Mrs. Schofield, "I know Penrod."

Aunt Sarah laughed heartily. "Do you think his father knows him too?"

"Of course men are different," Mrs. Schofield returned apologetically. "But a mother knows"—

"Penrod," said Aunt Sarah solemnly, "does your father understand you?"

"Ma'am?"

"About as much as he'd understand Sitting Bull!" she laughed. "And I'll tell you what your mother thinks you are, Penrod. Her real belief is that you're a novice in a convent."

"Ma'am?"

"Aunt Sarah!"

"I know she thinks that, because whenever you don't behave like a novice she's disappointed in you. And your father really believes that you're a decorous, well trained young business man, and whenever you don't live up to that standard you get on his nerves, and he thinks you need a walloping. I'm sure a day very seldom passes without their both saying they don't know what on earth to do with you. Does whipping do you any good, Penrod?"

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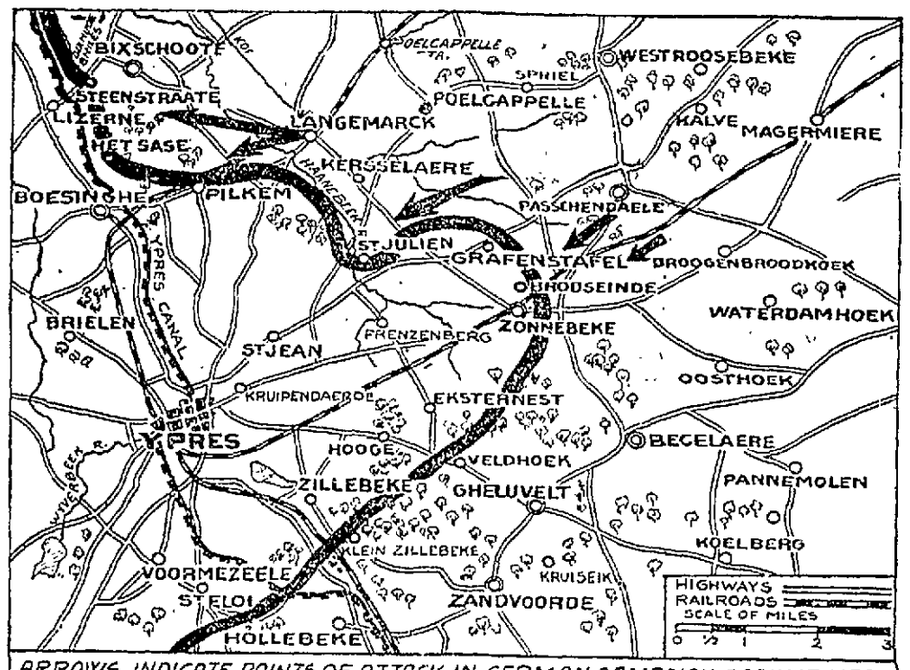
Fate of Calais Hangs in Balance in German Dash Against Ypres



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SMEAK'S TURN AT THE BAT

His Foul Balls Hit a Spectator, Scare a Horse and Nearly Smash Windshield of an Automobile; Locals Start Scoring Early in the Game.

The Connellsville High School ball team had an easy victory in the first home game Saturday, taking the East Huntingdon township high over by the score of 19 to 0. Minerd was on the mound and when the Alverton boys did hit him they seldom went further than first base, good fielding of the locals holding them down.

Connellsville started things going in the second inning by batting in six runs, and after that could not be stopped. The locals showed up good with the bat, hitting for two and three bases several times. Many of the runs, however, could have been cut off had the fielding of Alverton been better.

Smeak broke loose during one period of the game when he came to bat. He swung viciously at the first ball and missed it. Then the next was passed. He tipped the next one and sent it into the air, falling within a foot of a horse. The next one he sent in the same direction only on the ground. It missed a few spectators and then struck Miss Edith Carlson of Alverton, just below the eye. Ice was applied and kept the swelling down. The next ball he fouled, but turned around on it and sent the sphere in exactly the opposite direction of the preceding one, narrowly missing the windshield of Denton Crowley's automobile. Thinking Smeak had tried to do enough damage the Alverton pitcher passed him. Thereafter when Smeak came to bat everybody stepped back.

Lightly in the next inning ran down another girl spectator when trying to catch a foul tip. Her fall did not hurt her.

ANOTHER BOXING SHOW.

Patsy Brannigan to Meet Eddie Winsler Here on May 13.

Promoter Jack Stevens announces that he has matched Patsy Brannigan of New Castle with Eddie Winsler for a six round bout before the Connellsville Athletic Club May 13.

Winsler is a fast boy and one who can be depended on to put up a better fight against Brannigan than Jimmy McCoy, though McCoy made a good showing.

It is likely that Johnny Powell of Wheeler will be matched against some boy of his own weight.

Trespass Notices
for sale at The Courier Job Department.

Baseball at a Glance

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
*Chicago 7, Pittsburg 1.
St. Louis 3; Cincinnati 1.

*Eight innings—rain.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	12	3	.800
Chicago	10	6	.625
Boston	8	6	.571
Cincinnati	8	8	.529
St. Louis	10	9	.526
Brooklyn	6	10	.375
Pittsburg	5	11	.312
New York	3	10	.231

Today's Schedule.
New York at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg at Chicago.
Boston at Brooklyn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Cleveland 7; St. Louis 6.
Detroit 4; Chicago 3.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	9	4	.692
Detroit	13	6	.684
Chicago	11	8	.579
Washington	8	6	.571
Boston	5	7	.417
Cleveland	8	10	.444
Philadelphia	5	10	.333
St. Louis	3	13	.278

Today's Schedule.
Philadelphia at New York.
Washington at Boston.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.
Chicago 1, Buffalo 0.
Chicago 5; Buffalo 1.
St. Louis 1; Newark 0.
St. Louis 2, Newark 1.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	11	5	.688
Pittsburg	10	7	.588
Newark	11	8	.579
Brooklyn	9	7	.563
Kansas City	9	8	.529
St. Louis	7	10	.412
Buffalo	6	12	.333
Baltimore	6	12	.333

Today's Schedule.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn (2).
Kansas City at Baltimore.
Chicago at Buffalo.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Yesterday's Results.
Milwaukee 6, St. Paul 2.
Kansas City 7; Minneapolis 3.
*Columbus 1, Indianapolis 2.
Cleveland-Louisville—Rain.

*Five innings—Rain.

GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS AT HEAD OF ARMY

TALKING CITY LEAGUE.

Would Arrange Circuit of Baseball Clubs Within City.

A city league is being talked of, now that professional ball for Connellsville is a dead letter. A meeting may be called soon to discuss plans.

If organized the league would likely include teams from the Elks, Eagles, Moose, South Connellsville firemen, West Side firemen and the Baltimore & Ohio firemen.

Smithton Wants Games.

The Smithton baseball team is open for dates with all first class teams in this region. L. A. Swerkley is manager. He can be reached by letter or by phone at Shea's Hotel, Smithton.

Not Township Team.

It was the Dunbar borough high school team that lost to Douglas Business College last week instead of the Dunbar township team, as was reported.

North End Team Loses.

The Fairview avenue baseball nine defeated the North End team Saturday morning by a score of 14 to 10. Hard world for Fairview avenue.

Davidson Midgets Win.

The Davidson third team defeated the Dutch Bottom third team, 7 to 6. Lamport of Davidson had 12 strikeouts.

MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, May 2.—The Misses Olive and Hazel Van Horn of Scottdale are guests of their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Price of Main street.

Miss Anna Graves went to Rockwood today to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hauger.

Mrs. Frank Pitry of Salisbury was shopping and calling on friends in Meyersdale on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Moore with their daughter, Miss Alice, and Miss Rebekah Will, motored to New Lexington Saturday and remained until today visiting relatives and friends.

Miss John Stein spent Saturday at Markleton, where she visited her father, who is a patient at the sanitarium at that place.

Miss Nelle Gordon and Miss Elizabeth Payne visited Miss Ida Pfahler at Confluence today.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beachy of Elk Lick were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Reich on Saturday.

Mrs. Charles H. Walters of Connellsville is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Meyers on Meyers avenue.

Messrs. Carroll Kelley, L. Eisenhart and Robert Helbig of Oakland, Md., spent today visiting at the home of the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Holden.

Mrs. H. H. Stotler of Salisbury visited her friend, Mrs. George H. Benford, on Saturday.

Miss Ella McMurrer of Pittsburg is here for a few weeks' visit with Miss Theresa McMurrer of Ollinger street.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McGrath visited friends at Berlin on Saturday.

R. S. Kemp, who is employed at Cumberland, spent Sunday here with his family on Ollinger street.

Classified ads, one cent a word.

Hints to Vacationists

Little Talks on Health and Hygiene by Samuel G. Dixon, M. D., LL. D., Commissioner of Health.

Nature's siren song is calling the city dweller. It lures to mountain, meadow, lake or camp. The call is universal and all who are free hasten to answer.

In selecting a place for a summer home or a brief vacation it is well to observe a few basic precautions and so avoid incurring illness which may result seriously.

There are thousands of resorts, cottages and camps where the defects in sanitation present a genuine menace. Certain things should be carefully observed.

The water supply.

The disposal of sewage and garbage.

The milk supply, particularly if there are infants or young children.

If the water supply comes from a well, be sure that it is not located where it will receive underground or surface drainage from a barn-yard or outhouse. It is essential to boil water taken from surface streams. Clearness is no guarantee of purity.

If springs are the source of supply, care should be taken that they are not surrounded by habitations or other sources of pollution. In small villages or shore places if the water supplies are public, diligent inquiry should be made as to whether the source is free from sewage contamination. If the disposal of sewage and garbage is careless, flies are certain to breed, and unless kitchens and dining rooms are carefully screened there is a possibility of typhoid or diarrheal infection from this source.

With young children, particularly infants, the question of a clean milk supply is one of vital importance. Fresh milk is of little or no advantage unless it be clean milk.

Mosquitoes also may prove a pestiferous nuisance. There is the possibility of malaria infection in regions where they abound.

Failure to give attention to these essential points of sanitation may result in poignant regrets instead of delightful holiday memories.

DAWSON.

DAWSON, May 3.—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Risdon and son spent Sunday with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mong of Connellsville spent Sunday with friends and relatives here.

Misses Florence and Mildred Leonard of Pittsburg spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Lucky.

The following persons attended the funeral of Mrs. Lydia Cochran Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. George Kurtz of Hartford City, Ind.; H. S. Bute, Mr. and Mrs. McFatyre, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Cochran of Monessen, and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Schroyer of Uniontown; John Cochran, Misses Florence and Nellie Walsh of Lower Tyrone; Mr. and Mrs. McKee of Monessen.

A. C. Sherrod of Vanderbilt was a Dawson caller Saturday.

Lester Strickler of Vanderbilt was a Dawson caller.

Miss Ruth Lucky spent Sunday afternoon in Connellsville.

The graduating class of the Dawson public schools will hold their commencement exercises in the Methodist Episcopal Church Tuesday evening. The principal address will be delivered by Superintendent P. W. Wright of Uniontown. The class is composed of seven members, as follows: Nina Grace Smith, Grace Laughrey, Louise Mong, Charles Zimmerman, Harold O. Cottom, Walter McDonald and William Traynor. All friends of education are cordially invited to be present. Music will be furnished by the Rush Orchestra and school children.

The Dawson baseball club went to Scottdale Saturday and played an exciting game. The game was lost to the Mill Town boys. They report a good time and say they were well entertained.

William Parkhill has purchased a new automobile to be delivered on May 15.

Theodore Van Horn spent Saturday afternoon in Scottdale.

John W. Gibson spent Sunday with relatives in Freeport.

Mrs. John Durbin was a recent caller in Pittsburg.

Whooping Cough.

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